Weather

Weather hot and damp. The maximum temperature yesterday was 86.9 and the minimum was 74.5 figures for the corresponding day last year being 94.8 and 76.6.

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CLOSE VOTE FORECAST IN REICHSTAG ON LONDON PACT

Decisive Reading Is Postponed Until Today

BERLIN TO SIGN

Rejection Will Not Halt Action By Government

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, August 27.—It is officially announced that the Reichstag will be dissolved in the event of rejection of the London Pact, which, however, will be signed in any case by the Government on August 30.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, August 27.—The second reading of the Dawes Bills was passed today. The decisive reading has been postponed till August 29 when very close voting is clearly foreshadowed.

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 28.—According to present arrangements the Pact of London will be signed at the Foreign Office at noon on Saturday. Sir Eyre Crowe will sign on behalf of Britain, while the Allies and Germany will be represented by their respective Ambassadors and Ministers.

It is understood that the German Government has signified its intention of signing even if the Reichstag fails to pass the legislation involved by the necessary two-thirds majority.

(Reuter's Service)

Later, August 28.—The bill ratifying the Pact of London passed the second reading in the Reichstag by 248, votes to 176. The various bills carrying out the Dawes plan, except the railways bill, passed their second readings by similar majorities.

The extreme Nationalists and Communists alone are opposing the railways bill, involving an amendment to the Constitution, it requires a two-thirds majority, which it failed to obtain.

The decisive division is expected today or tomorrow when the Reichstag will vote on the eight Dawes bills together with a covering bill authorising signature of the London Agreement as the whole two-thirds majority will then be required.

Bankers Skeptcial About Reports Of New French Loan

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, August 27.—Financiers here are skeptcial concerning reports from London that France is seeking to negotiate a loan of $100,000,000 Gold in America. The opinion on Wall Street is almost unanimous that the German loan must be floated first.

The Position Of The Foreigner

There were reports in circulation last evening that a determined effort was to be made by Chinese commercial interests to induce the foreign Powers to intervene to patch up the present threatening conflict between Chekiang and Kiangsu. Whether these reports have any foundation in truth we can not say but it is natural that Chinese commercial and financial interests with investments in industrial and business and trading enterprises in the territory immediately surrounding Shanghai should be terribly worried at the present situation for it doesn't require much imagination to picture what may happen with hordes of defeated and uncontrolled soldiers roaming about the countryside.

We have no idea in the world as to what the Powers would do if approached with a definite proposal from the Chinese merchants to intervene or mediate in the present crisis. But we venture the purely personal opinion that unless the intervention could be of such a determined character as would completely eliminate the military menace in this section of China, —which is hardly possible— that the foreigners had better stay out of it. A long drawn out fight in this section of China would be most serious for the reason that the long peace which this area has enjoyed has permitted the development here of a greater industrial and commercial establishment than exists anywhere else in the land. A serious struggle would be injurious to these industrial and commercial interests and foreigners would suffer along with the Chinese. But if a contentious question exists here—and apparently it does—in view of the war flurries which Shanghai experiences every few months, then perhaps it would be better for all interests concerned if the bothersome question could be settled now and settled finally for several years to come. First and last it is a Chinese question and if the Chinese can settle it in their own way they should be given the fullest possible opportunity to do so. If money is required they certainly have it in abundance here. If they decide that fighting is the only way out then the only interest of the foreigner should be to see that the Settlements are not invaded and that foreign interests are not infringed upon.

One thing only the foreigner should insist upon and that is the Port of Shanghai should be kept open to the world's commerce so that food supplies for the unkeep of the great population massed here are not interfered with. The Powers can handle the matter of contraband here just as they are handling it to the complete satisfaction of all interests concerned on the Upper Yangtsze in the midst of internal turmoil. So to repeat, we venture the opinion again, that this is China's fight. There was a perfectly good treaty adopted at the Washington Conference on the subject of China's political, territorial and administrative integrity. It might be a good idea for everybody to get this treaty out and read it over in view of the present situation.

The Leaders Of The Warring Factions

GENERAL CHI HSIEH-YUAN

GENERAL LU YUNG-HSIANG

After years of rivalry, jealousy and warlike gestures from both camps, General Lu Yung-hsiang, Tupan of Hangchow and General Chi Hsieh-yuan, Tuchun of Kiangsu, are expected to come to blows in a decisive battle to be staged in Southern Kiangsu and around the shores of Lake Taiho. More than 80,000 troops have been mobilised to carry out the operation. The most up-to-date weapons of war, airplanes, machine-guns, poison gas, barbed wire and rapid firing guns are to be used in the engagement.

PANIC REIGNS ON BIG LINER IN HURRICANE

Passengers On Atlantic Ships Suffer Injuries In Wild Storm

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, August 27.—The White Star line Arabic, which arrives here in a few hours from Hamburg, has sent a wireless message requesting that eight ambulances be prepared for passengers who were injured when a hurricane struck and damaged the vessel last night.

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, August 28.—Terrible experiences in a tropical hurricane are reported by liners arriving here.

Fifty two persons were injured on board the White Star liner Arabic, of whom seven have been taken to hospital.

The captain states that a huge wave struck the starboard shaft bridge and threw a hundred screaming women, men and children in a heap into a corner of the main lounge mixed with articles of furniture, paintings, tapestries and chunks of class from broken portholes. The flood rushed the deck, crushing lifeboats, twisting stanchions and virtually filling every cabin of the two upper decks. semi-panic reigned while the storm was at its height. It is stated that rough treatment was required to quieten some male immigrants.

The White Star liner Homeric was also caught in the storm. She had eight persons injured and suffered damage to the superstructure.

The Giuseppe Verdi escaped with several smashed lifeboats and portholes.

A hurricane of mountainous seas swept the whole Atlantic seaboard driving ships to shelter in New York Harbor, which is crowded with vessels.

Lausann: Treaty Is Ratified By French Senate

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, August 27.—The Senate today ratified the Lausanne Treaty by 270 votes to 20.

French Flyer Sets New Altitude Mark

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, August 28.—The French aviator, M. Laporte, has broken the world altitude record with a hyoroplane carrying a load of 500 kilogrammes. He reached a height of 5,100 meters.

M. Laporte will depart for China shortly as Flying Instructor at Mukden.

Martial Law In Chapei; Strict Rulings Enforced

Drastic regulations for persons entering or leaving Chapei at night are included in the proclamation of martial law issued by Col. Lu Yung-chien, chief of the Woosung and Shanghai Constabulary. Martial law is now being enforced in all Chinese territory in the vicinity of Shanghai.

Col. Lu's proclamation points out the prevalence of rumors of impending strife between Chekiang and Kiangsu, and states that with a view to maintaining order in Chinese territory, martial law will be enforced immediately.

Among the regulations announced in the proclamation are:

1. The holding of meetings and the distribution of newspapers which bear on the subject of the present situation will be strictly forbidden in Chinese territory.

2. Police will be instructed to make rigid investigations of reports of arms or munitions stores, and such arms shall be subject to confiscation.

3. A censorship has been instituted at the postoffice and telegraph office in order to deal with messages of a military nature.

4. The police are authorized to enter any premises or board any steamers for the purpose of making a search.

5. From 5 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. all persons entering territory under martial law shall be subject to search. All traffic is prohibited after 11:30 p.m. All places of amusement, resorts and theaters shall close not later than 11 p.m.

That the new regulations constitute a considerable hardship for residents of Chapei who are [illegible] Settlement during the night hours was instanced Wednesday night when two Japanese came to the North Szechuen Road police station and reported that they had been stopped by soldiers while attempting to cross the railway line at the terminus of the North Szechuen Road Extension while on their way to their homes in Chapei at 11 p.m.

Investigation by the police verified the fact that martial law had been proclaimed on the Chapei boundary, the Jukong Road Bridge and the Tien Tung An Railway. It was reported to the police that no one was to be permitted to enter Chapei after 10 p.m.

Foreign firms employing night workers who reside in Chapei are attempting to obviate the difficulty by making application to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs for special passes which will permit their employes to go to their homes after they have completed their work in the Settlement.

ARMED ROBBERS LOOT EXCHANGE SHOP; GET $43

Seven Men Escape After Raid On Szechuen Road Establishment

Forty-three dollars in cash was obtained by seven men, four of whom were armed with revolvers, in a raid on an exchange shop at 323 North Szechuen Road Wednesday night.

Three of the robbers entered the shop, while the other four stood on guard outside. The three inside intimidated the occupants and seized the money.

While the robbery was in progress, one of the occupants of the shop ran out and notified a special police constable, who was on duty about forty yards distant. By the time the police officer reached the shop, however, the robbers had fled. No shots were fired.

REICHSTAG REDS AND DEMOCRATS JOIN IN MELEE

Free Fight Staged Amidst Tremendous Uproar

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, August 27.—There was an exciting sequel to this morning's disturbance in the Reichstag. At the resumption of the sitting the President, Herr Wallraff, ordered the suspension of three Communists. The latter declined to depart and Herr Wallraff dramatically ordered the clearance of the public galleries while the recalcitrant members were forcibly ejected. Twenty-five detectives trooped into the Chamber and were greeted with ironical laughter and the singing of the International by the Communists. The culprits finally departed peaceably.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, August 27.—A free fight occurred this morning in the Reichstag between the Communists and the Democrats. One of the latter was struck in the face by a Communist and this led to a general melee. A tremendous uproar ensued in which the public joined.

The President tried in vain to restore order, but finally left the House and suspended the sitting for a short time.

TRENCH DIGGING IS STARTED AT ARSENAL HERE

Women And Children Are Evacuated Under Order Of Military

[illegible] is a possibility of hostilities in the immediate vicinity of Shanghai is indicated by the feverish preparations being made by the Chekiang side for defense of the Kiangnan Arsenal. Foreign observers yesterday, after visits to the vicinity of the Arsenal, said that troops were busily engaged digging trenches and moving munitions and guns into place. The same observers reported that the Chinese authorities had ordered all women and children removed from the vicinity of the Arsenal.

No public announcement has been made of any plans for defense of the Settlement, nor is it likely that any measures will be taken officially until there is an actual outbreak of war and real danger of its extending to territory adjacent to the Settlement.

There are at present in port here two Japanese warcraft, the Saga, a gunboat, and the Jone, a cruiser. The American Asiatic Fleet is at its summer quarters at Chefoo and the British squadron at Weihaiwei. In the event that they were needed for the protection of foreign interests here, they could be brought down with little delay, but whether any orders have as yet been issued for reinforcement of the foreign naval detachments here is not known.

A new mobilisation manual has been distributed to members of S.V.C.

Ask Dominions To Reconsider Scheme To Reopen Wembley

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 27.—Reuter's Agency learns that the Dominion Governments have been asked to reconsider their decisions against reopening the Wembley Exhibition in 1925.

New U. S. Envoy To Japan Is Appointed

(Reuter's American Service)

Plymouth, Vt., August 27.—It is announced that President Coolidge has appointed Mr. Edgar A. Bancroft, the wellknown Chicago lawyer, American Ambassador to Japan.

Mr. James R. Sheffield has been appointed American Ambassador to Mexico.

Gossips Here Are Busy Telling All About War

The "war" between Kiangsu and Chekiang constituted the chief subject of conversation in Shanghai yesterday. In clubs, hotel lobbies and on the streets it was the chief source of conversation and many were the rumors which were passed around. The fact that General Ho sent a few soldiers to help preserve order at the Shanghai-Nanking Railway station was responsible for the rumor that the station had been occupied and the fact that a few people were not able to find their baggage in the midst of the great heaps at the station started another rumor that looting had started and even that a train had been held up and passengers robbed.

The telephones in the editorial office of the China Press were kept going steadily all day and late into the night by anxious persons desirous of the latest information. The fact that two of the morning trains on the Shanghai-Nanking line were cancelled on Wednesday doubtless was responsible for the story that gained wide circulation that fighting had already started in the Henli district.

HUMOROUS PHASES

In spite of the fact that almost everyone appreciates the seriousness of conditions, the situation had its inevitable humorous phases. For example there is the ever-recurring scene of the "Old Shanghai Resident" adopting the familiar know-it-all attitude toward the newcomer and explaining that the heavy rain yesterday morning would be sure to end the war since Chinese soldiers "never fight in the rain," and that it "now would be necessary for the generals to provide their troops with umbrellas." Another wise one cut in at this point to suggest that umbrellas "would now be

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NO WAR YET DESPITE WILD RUMORS; RAILWAY SERVICES MAINTAINED

Chinese Banks Suffer Mild Runs; Shortage Of Rice Causes Another Jump Of $3; Local Bodies Ask Chi and Lu To Declare Both Provinces Free From War

Despite rumors to the contrary, no actual fighting between Kiangsu and Chekiang forces took places yesterday. Traffic along both railroad lines was maintained while most of the Chinese banks survived the mild runs of yesterday and the day before. Due to the abnormal situation, however, Shanghai experienced yesterday one of the most restless days in its history.

Fighting was reported by speculators and exchange brokers early in the afternoon, first in Henli and later in Yihsin. The price of government bonds took a big slump and that of rice soared three dollars. There was an apparent scarcity of silver dollars as well as subsidiary coins. Few of the notes of Chinese banks were accepted at par by the exchange shops, but could be disposed of without difficulty if a few coppers discount were offered on each dollar for "cumshaw."

According to reports from military quarters in Nanking, Tuchun Chi Hsieh-yuan is planning to put 45,000 soldiers in the field of battle within the next three days. The troops are being concentrated at Quinsan, Yihsin, Pingwan and Taichong. The land forces are focussed on Wuchow and Sunkiang while the naval operations are aimed at Woosung.

Reports are current that General Chi arrived in Chinkiang yesterday and will, after completing arrangements there, proceed to Changchow today or tomorrow. During his absence from Nanking, General Kung Pang-tu, Military of Commissioner of Nanking, will be resident commander and General Wang Chien-fee will act as commandant of the precautionary gendarmes.

Following the evacuation of the garrison troops to take up posts along the battle front, the 151st regiment of Tungchow has been despatched to Nanking to replace the occupation soldiers. These will be subject to the orders of General Kung, who has full control of the provincial capital.

Troop movements continued throughout yesterday along both railway lines. Over 4,000 passed through Soochow and hailed for Yihsin and Wuchi. Most of these soldiers have just been recruited in Shantung, many of them said to be wearing queues. The famous city temple of Soochow, Yuan Miao Kwan, has been turned into a barracks. The Tien Ning Temple was made exempt from requisition after its trustees handed over a tribute of 1,500 piculs of rice to the army.

CHEKIANG CALM

Chekiang militarists denied the report yesterday that they have sent their families to some foreign concession. The families of Generals Lu Yung-hsiang, Kan Yu-lin, Chen Yao-shan and Yang Hua-chao are remaining in Hangchow and state that they have no intention of leaving the provincial capital.

Interviewed in his headquarters

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SUIT FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT IS DISMISSED HERE

Man Employed By Frazar And Company Loses Case In British Court

In the British Court yesterday, before Judge Peter Grain, the suit brought by Mr. J. J. Kienhuize against Messrs. Frazar & Company for breach of contract was dismissed, with costs. Tls. 750 (three months' salary) was claimed by the plaintiff. Mr. T. Addis appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. G. H. Wright for the defendants.

Mr. Kienhuize was engaged by Mess[illegible] Co., through Mr. Mc[illegible] verbal agreement [illegible] and 17, confirmed by an exchange of letters June 18 and 20, in the piece goods department of the firm, at a salary of Tls. 250 monthly. He was taken on three months' probation, to begin the middle of July upon Mr. Kienhuize's return from Tsingtao, where he went for a short vacation. He reported to Mr. McMichael on July 16, upon his return, and was told that a telegram had been received from England saying that an assistant was not needed, and therefore his services would not be required. While in Tsingtao he had received an offer from Messrs. Steiner & Co., piece good merchants here, but declined same on account of his contract with Messrs. Frazar & Company.

Mr. Wright, counsel for the defendant firm, endeavored to establish misrepresentation in that Mr.

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No actual clash has yet been staged despite wild rumors. Mild runs were made on certain Chinese banks, which weathered the storm. Rice is now $18 per picul. Chambers of Commerce and other public bodies ask proclamation of Kiangsu and Chekiang as neutral zone. Page 1.

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in Hangchow, General Yang Hua-chao asserted that if war was declared, he would fight it out to the bitter end on general principles. He contended that he was a man of high principles and had cast his lot with General Lu Yung-hsiang in spite of the many attractive offers made to him by wealthier militarists. When he withdrew from Fukien to Kiangsi, he was offered a high office but he declined. When he entered Anhui, another offer was made if he would stay away from General Lu; but again he refused to consider the proposition, he said in the interview.

Even in the face of humiliation as a result of the reduction of his military strength, he desired to serve General Lu loyally and obey his orders. He was not fighting for position, war for honor or for riches. General Yang is expected to be ordered to the Taiho front shortly to command the vanguards.

NAVAL CHIEFS BACK

Admiral Ling Kien-chang and Admiral Chow Shao-jui, commanders of the Shanghai independent squadron, returned from Hangchow yesterday. They called a hurried conference of naval officers in port immediately upon their arrival at the Kiangnan Arsenal. It was reported at the conference that the Fukien navy under the command of Admiral Yang Shu-chwang left for Woosung yesterday. Besides the original fleet of six battleship, three others are coming. They are the Gunboats Pu An, Chu Kwan and Kiang Yuan. They will join with the Nanking fleet and the Tsingtao navy in their attack on the Woosung Forts.

The first moving unit for field services was despatched by the Chinese Red Cross Society yesterday under the personal direction of Dr. W. S. New. It consists of four doctors, four nurses and 10 assistant. It will be stationed in Quinsan, where the first fighting, is expected.

LOCAL BODIES MEET

Two hundred representatives of all the local commercial and industrial organisations met at the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce yesterday and issued a manifesto, urging both sides to refrain from hostilities and to declare both provinces immune from war hereafter. A plan will latter be presented to the military authorities in Kiangsu and Chekiang whereby, the meeting contended, both General Lu and General Chi will be required to declare Kiangsu and Chekiang permanently free from military operations.

In view of the shortage of rice, the meeting also decided to purchase a large quantity of Siamese rice to relieve the suitation. The Chinese General Chamber of Commerce and the Nantao Chamber further wired to the Kiangsu authorities, asking them to release the rice boats that have been seized by the militarists in order to enable the vessels to ship the foodstuff to Shanghai.

The Anhui Guild at Shanghai yesterday met in extraordinary session and passed a resolution urging Tuli Ma Lien-chia to observie strict neutrality in case a clash cakes place between Chekiang and Kiangsu.

TRAFFIC IMPROVES

Although the heavy flow of "refugees" from the threatened zone kept up throughout the day, the scene at the Shanghai-Nanking North Station yesterday was a great deal more nearer normal than on Wednesday, when the first appearance of troops created a minor flurry.

General Ho Feng-lin's men were still doing guard duty at the station, but their number seemed to have been reduced, as there were only twenty or thirty of them to be seen about the station. Their principal occupation was in standing with fixed bayonets and bandoliers bulging with cartridges at the various entrances to the station and the train platforms and particularly at the telegraph office, where the censorship is still in force.

Train service on both the Shanghai-Nanking and Shanghai-Hangchow lines was normal yesterday, although incoming trains were delayed considerably because of the continuance of troops movements. All of the regular trains left Shanghai. The trouble on the Shanghai-Hangchow line, caused by a minor derailment Wednesday morning, had been fixed up, and the line was again clear.

In the station itself were further accumulations of baggage, which seemed to mount higher and higher despite the efforts of the baggage clerks. They constituted visible signs of the fear of the country folk and their desire to get as much of their effects as possible into the Settlement.

According to special dispatches to the Eastern Times, the offensive against Chekiang will have as one of its focal points the Woosung forts. This paper prints dispatches from its correspondent at Foochow saying that Admiral Yang Shu-chwang left there Tuesday for Shanghai in command of the Fukien fleet consisting of the Warships Hai Yung, Tse Kwan, Tso Ting, and Yung Chien. Their object, it is said, will be to bombard the Woosung forts, acting in cooperation with the Nanking Navy, which is to make a simultaneous attack on the forts from behind, landing troops at Liu Ho under protection of the ships.

Detailed reports of troop movements continue to fill the Chinese press. One report says that thirty cars of troops of the 39th regiment, 10th Division, left Lunghua Wednesday for Nanziang. On arrival there they took up positions in the vicinity of Anxing.

An explosion is stated to have occurred Wednesday at Fenching, the center of the explosion being about 40 feet from the railway tracks. No one was hurt. On investigation a number of unexploded mines were found in the vicinity.

(Eastern News Agency)

Nanking, August 28.—The 6th Division, the 4th Mixed Brigade and half of the 3rd Mixed Brigade stationed here were transported in the direction of Soochow within the past three days by more than ten special trains. The remaining half of the 3rd Mixed Brigade and one brigade, under the command of General Chen Tiao-yuan, which has hitherto been stationed in Hsuchow, are now being stationed in Nanking.

Coolies are being compulsorily enlisted in this city. There are very few ricsha collies, much less ordinary pedestrians. Shops and stores are closed but soldiers are forcing their way into these shops and are enlisting coolies. Business is completely paralysed, and the General Chamber of Commerce is applying to the authorities concerned for the protection of the lives and property of the populace.

(Eastern News Agency)

Chinkiang, August 28.—The 19th Division under the Command of General Yang Chun-pu has proceeded by water to Kiangyin en route to Soochow and Yihsing, leaving behind here some two companies. Two battalions of the 3rd Division under the command of General Ma Yu-jen have arrived here. The Chinese men-of-war in Kiangyin have all sailed down the Yangtsze. Since yesterday, train service has been closed to goods, belonging to the people, and military tores have been transported instead. Owing to the fact that banks and money-exchange shops are refraining from lending, the money-market has become very tight with the consequence that most of the factories have stopped their operation.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 25.—Foreign telegrams received from the South over the week-end report that preparations for war between Generals Sun Chuan-fang and Chow Un-jen were being carried on hurriedly in Fukien, and it was believed in Foochow that Marshal Wu Pei-fu would not hold aloof. Marshal Wu's sympathies are said to be with General Sun. Meanwhile Marshal Chi Hsieh-yuan's defensive measures had progressed to a point where little remained to be done by way of precaution against attack. No one in Nanking appears to believe that Marshal Chi meditates attacking Chekiang, but the increased strength of General Lu Yung-hsiang, due to the arrival in Chekiang of Generals Tsang Chi-ping and Yang Hua-chao created much uneasiness. Marshal Chi is reported to have been in communication with Marshal Wu Pei-fu, and it is said that an agreement was reached whereby there would be no interference with Chekiang unless the latter sent troops to Fukien to assist in restoring Generals Tsang Chi-ping and Yang Hua-chao.

A telegram from Hangchow reports that there is no collusion between General Lu Yung-hsiang and either General Sun Chuan-fang or Gneral Chow Yen-jin, and Chinese military circles in Peking think that instead of having a concerted plan of attacking any of the neighboring provinces General Lu is waiting to take any advantage of opportunities that may be presented, to assist the two visiting generals, by a local conflict in Fukien.

(China Press Correspondence)

Hangchow, Aug. 26.—Rumors of war are still running high, and are many and very disquieting. Troops are being quietly moved to the ends of the Province and a belligerent attitude is in evidence. Some say that the war is to commence on September 1. People are leaving the city in great numbers, making chiefly for Shanghai.

On account of the present rumors the opening of the Primary and Middle Schools has been delayed a fortnight. The banks are charging a heavy discount and making hay under the war cloud. For cashing tael cheques you can get very much better terms than are being given in Shanghai at present. Outwardly everything is peaceful, although the people are more or less nervous and apprehensive. Business seems to be going on as usual, all except the boat traffic, which is more or less suspended because the military have taken possession of the boats.

(China Press Correspondence)

Sungkiang, Ku., August 27.—There has been quite an exodus of people from here today. I do not see how Shanghai is to hold them all. The railway station was a sight to behold this morning. Baggage piled high and men and women and children rushing about in the greatest excitement. Last night men were impressed to carry ammunition or something else from the railway station to boats to be shipped into the interior. Boats were taken at will, hence everything was excited this morning. One cannot tell what the outcome will be. There seems no especial danger at this place at present and the only thing likely to cause any is a defeat of the Chekiang soldiers. We hear all kind of rumors, but of course can not believe all we hear.

One of our schools opens tomorrow and quite a number of scholars have already come in, though some have had trouble on account of the fear of boatmen of being impressed. It is doubtful if any boats will run tomorrow, so our attendance will be somewhat interfered with.

(China Press Correspondence)

Hangchow, August 27.—The air is still full of disquieting rumors but a very severe thunderstorm has just passed over the city with a tremendous downpour of rain which we hope will clarify the air, fill the canals, and damp the fervent spirits of story-tellers and mischief-makers who are all very busy these days making mountains out of molehills.

The railway was cut last night some distance from Kashing and the morning train from Shanghai—due here at 12:30 had not arrived at 5 p.m. The people are still fleeing to Shanghai and some of the more excitable and nervous are, we are told, seeking attention at the C. M. S. Hospital. The various guilds of the city are in close touch with each other and we are told they have sent a very important deputation to Shanghai to talk over matters with the Kiangsu gentry.

Peking Bond Exchange Is Forced To Suspend

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 28.—The Peking Stock Exchange quietly ceased all business today and closed up indefinitely but bonds remain nominally at the previous low quotations which are finding no sellers save in exceptional cases where demand for immediate funds necessitates acceptance of the best offers.

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Aug. 27.—As a secondary effect of the instability of economic conditions, there was a run on the Hypothic Bank of Peking this morning, but by the assistance of the Chinese Bankers' Association, the bank has extended its office hours, paying cash for its bank-notes.

The Bond Exchange has suspended its transactions for the present, in view of the slump in the market-price of bonds prevailing for some time past, and is compelled to await the stability of money-market.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 26.—The bond market in Peking is considerably easier today. Following the decision of the special meeting of the Cabinet at the residence of Dr. Wellington Koo yesterday the Stock Exchange opened this morning for the regular monthly settlement, and a fair amount of business was transacted by buyers and sellers able to meet their obligations. It was expected yesterday that several cash shops would close today through not being able to meet their liabilities, but the stock exchange came to their assistance and it is announced this afternoon that the overtiding arrangements will probably result in no failures at all.

A large number of buyers interested in the settlement attended the stock exchange this morning and attempted to gain an entry. The exchange was promptly closed until the crowd dispersed. This afternoon the bond market is reported to be much firmer and an appreciable rise in values is expected by the end of the month. Efforts are being made to get all business not settled today brought to a conclusion by August 31.

Name New Governor For New Zealand

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 27.—General Sir Charles Fergusson succeeds Viscount Jellicoe as Governor of New Zealand.

Britain Suspends Work At Cologne

(Reuter's Service)

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News Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilhelmi, 113 Rue Massanet, Shanghai, announce the engagement of their daughter Edna Deemer to Mr. Arthur Grandy of Los Angeles, Cal. Wedding to take place latter part of September.

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The case in which an Indian chauffeur in Hongkong was charged with the murder of his wife was concluded before Mr. Justice Gompertz on August 22. His Lordship passed sentence of death and this was interpreted to prisoner. Immediately this was done he began to clap his hands loudly and shouted something which was interpreted, "I am very glad to hear that." As he left the dock he repeated this in English, and added, "I never want to see any more bad men like these," evidently referring to the Indians who had given evidence in the case.

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There was a record attendance of members, wives and guests at the weekly meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club for tiffin in the grill room of the Astor House yesterday when Mr. Peter B. Kyne popular American short-story writer and novelist was guest of honor. After being introduced by Mr. T. C. Britton, chairman, Mr. Kyne explained that he did not know there was a Rotary Club in China and for this reason had not "brought his standard Rotary speech with him." With this introduction, Mr. Kyne then entertained the Rotarians and guests for nearly an hour with a number of stories from his experience and otherwise which proved that his rating as a story teller is just as high as his reputation as a writer. On Wednesday Mr. Kyne was entertained at tiffin at the Union Club when about thirty Chinese and foreign newspaper men of Shanghai were present.

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Dr. Fong F. Sec, head of the English Editorial Department of the Commercial Press has returned from several weeks vacation at Peitaho, Mokanshan, Kuling and Peking.

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There will be a tiffin at the Union Club at 12:15 p.m. on Saturday for Dr. and Mrs. Hume and the five new Yale teachers who are en route to Changsha. The party is due to arrive in the s.s. Empress of Canada today. All Yale men and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

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The Norwegian Minister, M. Michelet, accompanied by Mme. Michelet and their children, will return to China via Siberia next month, being expected in Peking about September 30.

Gossips Here Are Busy Telling All About The War

(Continued from Page 1)

put on the contraband list along with arms and munitions, chemicals and wireless outfits.

Most Shanghai business men were of the opinion, always preceded of course by the statement, "don't quote me on this," that since matters had gotten to the present stage it might be better for the rival generals to fight it out and be done with it. "Business is rotten anyway, and a little fighting can't make it any worse," said one man while another declared, it as his opinion that a nice little war might have a good effect in "forcing the Powers to pay a little attention to China now that all of the troubles of Europe have been settled by Mr. Dawes." Still another old-timer who had been at the railroad station observing the crowds of people from the outlying districts rushing into the Settlement for protection couldn't restrain himself from remarking that "perhaps we will now have a let-up in the agitation for abolition of extra-territoriality, for if there were no foreign settlements here, where would all of these unfortunate people go for protection against their own militarists."

EXCITEMENT IN U. S.

That the war flurry here is attracting attention abroad was indicated in instructions received by various newspaper correspondents of papers in the United States, and elsewhere to "get on the job" and cover the war from every possible angle. One correspondent got a wire from his chief in New York to proceed at once to Nanking and Hangchow and interview the leading generals—and if the trains are not running get an automobile or an airplane. "Spare no expense," read the telegram.

The political flurry has had at least one wholesome effect. It has stimulated a study of Chinese geography and those who thought Henli was in Thibet have now discovered that it is the place near Shanghai where they have rowing races and which has been responsible for much recent discussion of the type of costume which should be worn at a rowing regatta—the thing having been started by some thoughtless maiden wearing a bathing costume. At any rate Shanghai is now getting a taste a type of Chinese politics of which this section of China has been free for several years. Those who went through the campaign between Chihli and Fengtien a couple of years ago and those who were familiar at first hand with the recent fighting in Szechuan and in the Kwangtung area, of course require no explanations regarding what may be in store for Shanghai.

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— CONTINUED TOMORROW —

Proposals Are Drafted For World Conference On Opium Suppression

France Alone Dissents From Suggested Draft Agreement To Be Placed Before Meeting Which Will Be Held In Geneva

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, August 27.—A meeting of the League of Nations Advisory Committee on Opium Traffic, at Geneva, dealing with the program of the World Conference on Drug Control, which will be held in November, considered five schemes submitted by Great Britain, the United States, France, the Netherlands and the League Council respectively.

Finally Holland acquiesced in the agreement reached between Great Britain and the United States, after which the other countries concurred, but the French representative declined to accept the scheme as a draft agreement, reserving the right to oppose it when it comes before the League Assembly shortly.

The scheme contains two main points which America considers essential: (1) that each country shall state its medicinal and scientific requirements in opium, and (2) restriction of production within the limits of these requirements and the establishment of a central board to apply this principle throughout opium-producing and consuming countries.

Sir John Jordan, on behalf of Britain, submitted the suggestion that the quantity of Indian opium exported to States regulating opium-smoking should be reduced by 10 percent a year for 10 years, and that the Governments of Japan and Siam and of Powers with possessions in the Far East should be requested to reduce their consumption of opium at the same rate; but the suggestion was opposed by Mr. Campbell on behalf of India, and so it will not appear as a resolution.

Secretary Mellon Sails From France

(*Reuter's Service*)

Cherbourg, Aug. 28.—Mr. Andrew Mellon, Secretary of the United States Treasury, sailed for New York yesterday.

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Favacho Knocks Out Kid Mystery And Volaire Wins From De Dios At Carlton

Last night started off as kayo ight at the Carlton. Two of the ree prelims resulted in knock- is, and in the fourth event bby Favacho followed up the od work by sending Kid ystery to dreamland, taking st about a minute to get his earings and administer the leeping potion. The final, how- ver, went the full ten rounds etween Young Volaire and De Dios, and though a kayo was ooked for seveal times it never aterialised. Volaire got the ecision, though a good many ex- ected a draw.

The final was to have been etween Keenan and De Dios, but yd has developed an abscess on is ear which made it impossible or him to fight last night. Doctor 'Hara, who gave him the once ver, telling him not to fight under ny circumstances. Young Volaire as called on to substitute, and he fight was cut to ten rounds wing to his not having had a hance to prepare for it. He eighed in at 130 pounds and De Dios at 123, a difference of seven ounds. Mr. McCoy was referee, nd Messrs. Simpson and Rodgers cted as judges.

The boys sparred around a bit t the start. De Dios landed everal times, but not hard. Volaire tried his best to corner e other boy and slug, but De Dios is too quick for that sort f thing, and got away without amage. Volaire missed many wings, Faustino ducking and odging and bouncing off the opes with all his customary uickness, and sometimes getting n with some punches himself.

In the second round the two got n closer quarters and landed more requently. De Dios got in several n succession on Volaire that would have meant a kayo for a softer and lighter boy, but Volaire took it well and came back for more, landing a few times on De Dios before the sesson was over.

Volaire in the third continued o take the aggressive, landing a ew times but missing a few times more, De Dios dancing away for a while but then coming back and anding several wallops himself. For a little while the boys swapped punches, and De Dios showed that he had steam behind his mitts as ell as in his feet, but Volaire it all.

In the fourth session the boys n mixing it up still more reely. Volaire got Faustino into corner and walloped himself ired, but Faustino covered up. nd after a while danced awny gain. He landed several times n Volaire, but no serious damage was done. Both boys began to ook a bit tired towards the finish.

The fifth and sixth rounds went on much the same, Volaire continuing to take the aggressive and De Dios jumping away and then landing occasionally. The boys slowed up towards the middle of each round, however, looking a bit tired. Volaire missed many swings, De Dios being as quick as ever at ducking and dodging. In the sixth Faustino landed a few good body blows.

Volaire followed up De Dios closely. In the seventh session, after a little sparring, Volaire missed a couple of swings, but then succeeded in landing several, but without apparent effect on De Dios, who showed that he can stand a few also. Volaire got through and landed rather more often than De Dios, though the lighter boy came back well. In the eighth the boys kept up about the same, and in the ninth also. Volaire continued the aggressive, though he was obviously tired. He succeeded in landing several successive wallops which started the crowd shouting for a kayo, but De Dios danced away again without showing any damage.

In the final session both boys came in strong and mixed it up until the final bell. Volaire took the aggressive, but De Dios countered with wallops again and again. They kept this up until the finish.

Though Volaire had generally taken the aggressive, he hadn't got very far with it owing to De Dios' speed, and Faustino landed oftener than the heavier boy throughout the fight. Many expected a draw, but the judges awarded the decision to Young Volaire.

KNOCKOUTS

There was nothing for the judges to do in the Favacho-Mystery scrap, but watch and enjoy the affair. They weighed in at 152 and 151 pounds respectively. Bobby started off with his usual crouch, and landed a few times. The Kid came back pretty well, but Bobby was too much for him, and after a minute or so slot overa nasty left which bent the Kid forward, following this up with a smashing right hook which sent him down for the count. The Kid was pulled over to his corner, and came to about half a minute later.

This was the third knockout of the evening. The first scrap, between Mamerto and Rising Korea, a clever Korean youngster, wound up with the latter landing on his Filipino opponent successfully in the third round and putting him fast asleep. It is said this is the first time the Korean boy has been in the ring. He started off well last night.

The second scrap gave a bit of fun. Ma Ching and Fernan sometimes landed and sometimes missed, sometimes backwards, sometimes frontwards, and sometimes sideways. Occasionally they stopped to prop one another up, or grabbed hold of the ropes with one hand so as to get a purchase for hitting with the other. Fernan landed the oftener, and got the decision after four rounds.

The third, between Reyes and Xavier, was a good snappy scrap. The two mixed it up well from the start, and showed both speed and strength. Xavier showed his usual quickness, and in the third round landed several in succession on Reyes that dropped the other boy for the count.

TENNIS DOUBLES DRAW ANNOUNCED BY ASSOCIATION

The draw in the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association championship doubles was announced by the association yesterday as follows:

T. Nakagome and H. Midzuta — Bye
Capt. Barrett and N. Leslie — Bye
R. Canavarro and H. Toussaint
A. Meise and B. Khrenoff
A. L. Sullivan and L. Goldman
G. Norris and T. T. Chang
H. Bucknell and W. W. Peter
A. H. George and C. E. Whitamore
T. Egawa and S. Hata
J. F. Acheson and S. Barker
C. Passos and R. Robarts
H. B. Ollerdessen and C. Sofoulis
E. Kelhofer and G. T. Hwang
J. L. Wade and W. Mansel-Smith
G. Y. Woo and Z. C. Chen
T. L. Lee and S. Y. Liu
S. K. Voong and W. Lea
E. Moller and W Puthod
Y. Kuwabara and W. Okada
V. E. da Silva and C. A. da Silva
L. C. Tang and A. N. Other
F. Hisae and S. Hoguchi
J. R. Huxter and F. Sutherland
T. W. Sturton and K. Bourne
D. L. Zao and T. S. Zung — Bye
C. Tavares and A. R. Hager — Bye
B. L. Cheethan and H. G. Mancell — Bye

Home Cricket

(Reuter's Service)

Taunton, Aug. 27.—The match between the South Africans and Somerset opened here today in fine weather. The wicket was easy.

Somerset scored 208, McBryan contributing 59 and Blanckenberg taking 6 wickets for 76.

The Africans had scored 140 for 4 when stumps were drawn, Catterall being 78 not out.

Clay Pigeon Club Meet

The twelfth competition for the Shanghai Clay Pigeon Club cup will be held at 4 p.m. on Sunday, August 31.

PRETORIA WINS

(Reuter's Service)

Pretoria, August 27.—The Pretoria Rugby Football team today beat the British team by 6 points to 0.

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Olympic Games Ended Unhappily

Great Set-Back To International Sport

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, July 30.—The Olympic Games have ended rather sadly, with bitter disputes over the boxing and unfair judging. The American contestants in particular are reported to have suffered most, perhaps due largely to the fact that they won the majority of the events. The Games as a whole were far from satisfactory and it is feared in some quarters that this may be the last Olympiad to take place.

The Times, in referring to its special article on the Games, says: "The message which we publish on the subject of the Olympic Games was evidently written under a profound sense of disappointment. Even those who went to Paris most full of hope are completely disheartened. In the opinion of our Special Correspondent who has described the Games, they have shown that the world is not yet ripe for the ideal which was the basic object of their revival. The attempt to create a brotherhood of sport which will react to the improvement of international relationship is, he writes, useless so long as those relationships are permitted from the outset to embitter and demoralise the sport. Unhappily the experiences of the present Olympiad have confirmed, 'with dreadful clearness,' the long-felt misgivings that the tendency of these Games is to inflame international animosities rather than to allay them. Measured by that standard, they have been weighed in the balance and found not only wanting but positively dangerous."

Here are the pitiful conclusions to which the Times Special Correspondent at the Olympic Games in Paris has come. "To write this article," he says, "is like delivering the funeral oration of the Olympic Games: not of these particular Games only, which will come to a natural end in the course of a week or so, but of the whole Olympic movement. The ideal which inspired the rebirth of the Games was a high one—namely, by friendly rivalry and sport to bind together the youth of all nations in a brotherhood so close and loving that it would form a bulwark against the outbreak of all international animosities. The events have shown that the world is not yet ripe for such a brotherhood. There has for a long time been profound and widespread misgiving whether the Games had not in practice served to inflame animosities rather than to ally them. Disagreeable incidents cropped up at most of the earlier meetings, but culminated in the unpleasantness of Stockholm. There was a hope that after the war a new spirit might prevail. The Antwerp meeting came too soon after the Armistice, and was not taken sufficiently seriously to furnish at all a criterion. At Paris we have had the first real test under the new order; and even those who came here most full of hope are completely disheartened."

"The incident which has brought things to a crisis so far as Great Britain is concerned occurred in the boxing on Friday night, when Mallin, our middle-weight champion, had to meet the Frenchman, Brousse. The latter fought foully from the start, and was several times warned by the referee. He continued his tactics, and, instead of being disqualified, was allowed to stay out his time. In the course of the fight he bit Mallin severely on his chest, the teeth-marks being plainly visible still; he had already bitten an Argentine opponent in an earlier round. In spite of his foul tactics he was clearly outclassed and out-pointed throughout the fight. And the judges gave the decision to Brousse! The Americans had also suffered from shocking judging. An appeal was taken in the Mallin case, which was treated as a test, and it was agreed that unless the decision was reversed all the English-speaking contestants—Great Britain, the United States, Canada, Australia, and South Africa—would withdraw in a body."

"This, of course, is only an incident; and one incident should not be enough to make us withdraw from the Games. But it was a culmination of what has been going on since the first free-fight broke out in the French-American Rugby football match. Great Britain has hitherto been happily not involved in many of the major unpleasantnesses, to which I have on purpose made only the slightest reference in my former dispatches. Other countries have suffered, whether in the matter of the judging or in the hostility of the spectators, worse than we. In contrast with the persistent hostility to the Americans, indeed, our treatment even at times has seemed almost cordial, and the British athletes have, without exception, managed to bear themselves, not, I imagine sometimes without considerable effort, smilingly and well."

"It should even more clearly be put on record that the Americans have behaved admirably. Under extreme provocation they have shown nothing but good humor and generous sportsmanship; and it may be that, if the hopes we have built of the Games are to go, the gain from the closer drawing together of the British and American athletes, after having been tried here in the same furnace together, will more than counterbalance the loss. It is, however, not a question of individual nations, any more than it is of particular incidents. The fact is that if has once more been demonstrated with dreadful clearness that the Games exacerbate international bitternesses instead of soothing them. It is useless to attempt to create a brotherhood of sport which will react to the improvement of political relationships so long as these political relationships are permitted from the outest to embitter and demoralise the sport. Before Olympic Games can do any good, all nations must learn equally to regard sport and politics as two separate and independent spheres, which at present not all nations seem to do. It is all very heartrending. There are Englishmen and others here who could almost weep over it. It is particularly sad because we have had, thanks chiefly to General Kentish and his colleagues, a much better organisation for the Games than we have ever had before, and we have no reason whatever to be dissatisfied with the honors we have won. Saddest of all, perhaps, must be the view of one section of Frenchmen. It is Baron Pierre de Coubertin to whom the revival of the Games is chiefly due. It is pathetic that it should be in Paris that they should receive their grievous blow."

The Times, commenting further on this article, says: "Miscellaneous turbulence, shameful disorder, storms of abuse, free fights, and the drowning of the National Anthems of friendly nations by shouting and booing are not conducive to an atmosphere of Olympic calm. Disturbances of this kind, culminating in open expressions of national hostility, might conceivably end in worse trouble than the duel which it is feared may take place as the result of the personal quarrel which a Hungarian and an Italian fencer have allowed themselves to become involved. The peace of the world is too precious to justify and risk—however wild the idea may seem—of its being sacrificed on the altar of international sport."

HEAVY LOSS IN MILL FIRE ON WARREN ROAD

Firemen Kept Busy All Day Damping Down And Salvaging!

Firemen of the Sinza Division of the Settlement Brigade were kept busy all day yesterday damping down the blaze which broke out Wednesday night at about 9:30 o'clock in the Ming Sun Cotton Weaving Mill on Warren Road off Brennan Road. Damage caused by the flames may be well up to Tls. 50,000. That the flames were confined to but one building was due to the prompt action of the brigade in the face of handicaps caused by shortage of water.

The fire had its origin in the upper portion of a two-storied godown, the blaze having already gotten to some parts of the godown floor when the brigade arrived. Three pumps were immediately placed alongside a large water tank in the center of the mill compound, and jets were placed to prevent spread of the flames to two adjoining godowns. It was some time before the first could be brought under control, owing to the inflammable nature of the contents of the burning building, but by midnight all danger of its spreading was past.

The godown involved contained among other goods about 3,000 piculs of cotton, 14,000 lbs. of wool yarn, a small quantity of cotton yarn and 40 piculs of rice. The contents were insured for Tls. 50,000 and the building for Tls. 15,000. There should be considerable salvage, however.

In his report, Chief Officer Pett, who attended personally, states that matters would have been facilitated had the mill pump been working properly to supply the mill hydrants, which were useless. Moreover the fittings were not of local standard gauge. As it was, the water in the tank became so low after about three hours that it was necessary to shift the pumps to the creek at the east edge of the compound.

JAPANESE PLAN ARMY TRAINING FOR STUDENTS

Officers Will Give Instruction In Schools, Report

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, August 28.—A definite step towards military training for the nation has been taken in the reported decision of the Departments of War and of Education to attach one or more officers to each of the Middle and Higher Schools throughout the country to supervise the military training of the students.

While so attached, these officers will remain on the Army Active List and will be paid by the Army. They will return periodically to their regiments for additional training and in this way spread general knowledge as regards defence principles, so that the ultimate result will be, it is hoped, to make it practicable to reduce the term of conscription to one year in accordance with the popular demand.

If the Cabinet approves the decision, the regulations will be enforced in April, 1925.

This proposed employment of officers is regarded as solving the question of the disposal of the 2,000 officers who were to be discharged under the military reform scheme, which has received the approval of the Supreme Military Council, and at the same time keep them on the Active List in case of emergencies.

The reform scheme, which having been finally approved is now being submitted to the Cabinet, provides for the reduction of four Divisions. This is estimated to save Y.11,500,000 approximately, of which the bulk will be devoted to the establishment during the next three years of three additional aviation corps, one tank corps and two anti-aircraft corps and of chemical and scientific research, leaving Y.1,300,000 in accordance with the general retrenchment policy laid down by the Government.

Rebels In Amazon Surrender, Report

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, August 27.—The Brazilian Consulate announces that the rebellion in the Amazonas has ended by the surrender of the rebels at Porto Obidos.

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Canton Shops Forced To Close Following Lead Of Bankers And Rice Shops

(Eastern News Agency)

Canton, August 28.—The Government has taken more high-handed steps that before towards the strikers here, and is forcing the merchants to open their shops and stores by force of arms.

The attitude of the merchants, however, is very strong and they are turning a deaf-ear to repeated warnings from the Government. They have erected watch-towers on the roofs of several buildings at important points to take precaution against looting and fires.

The popular feeling is entirely alienated from the Government. It appears that there is absolutely no hope of the issue being settled for the time being.

(Eastern News Agency)

Canton, August 28.—Troops under the command of General Chen Chiung-ming in the district of the East have begun to take the offensive against the Kuangtung troops. General Lin Hu is, it is reported, advancing at the head of his troops in the direction of Yingteh from Onyuan. Traffic on the Canton-Hankow line, to the north of Yingteh, has become interrupted.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Note: The following news of the situation in Canton was despatched by mail four days before the telegram from Shameen, published yesterday (Thursday), which reported that the merchants' strike is now widespread and that the situation is critical.

Canton, Aug. 23.—Following the suspension of business on the part of the native bankers and the rice merchants in Canton, as a protest against the Kuomintang Government of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, which is enforcing the circulation of unsecured paper money on the market, the other shops were compelled to close their shops last Sunday, August 17. The rice shops had to close on account of the insistence of the mercenaries of Dr. Sun to pay for rice with worthless notes of the Central Bank, a Kuomintang agency without any capital whatever. The troops on August 21 forcibly seized two junks full of rice at Canton Harbor, and the owners were told that if they wanted anything in return they might take the notes or nothing. Since August 23 all shops have been but partly open, being ready to close at any moment upon the inrushing of mercenaries whom Dr. Sun has been stationing in the business sections to guard against possible opposition of the Canton Merchants' Volunteers.

It may be recalled that the Volunteers have since August 19 severed relationship with Dr. Sun's Government of arms for the import of which every legal requirement has been met, upon hearing that Dr. Sun would not return the arms except on payment of from $60 to $160 each.

TWO IMMEDIATE ACTS

The present general strike in Canton has been caused by two immediate acts of the Kuomintang Government in Canton: the forcing of worthless paper money on the people, and the attempt to crush the people by first disarming the Volunteer Corps in Canton and then preventing the units throughout the province of Kwangtung to amalgamate under one command.

Mr. Ching Chiem, Secretary of War, who issued the permit to the Canton Merchants' Volunteers to import arms the act whose act was finally over-ruled by Dr. Sun Yat-set, who has been holding the arms, has declined to attend office further, as a silent protest against the action of his chief. It is understood that other departmental chiefs of Dr. Sun's General Headquarters, including General Hsu Shao-tseng of the Department of Internal Affairs, and Procurator-General Loo Hing-yuan of the South China Supreme Court, have withdrawn from Canton.

As far as the mercenaries are concerned—the Yunanese, the Hunanese, and the Kwangsi-ties—they have begun to realise that if Dr. Sun should fall they will have a hard time to escape from Kwangtung, as their dialects will betray them.

BOAT SERVICE HALTS

Since August 22 the regular service of junks and tow-boats plying between Canton and inland towns has been interrupted, as the people of the interior are watching the Canton situation and may have to come to the rescue of the citizens of Canton in case there is a conflict between the people and the oppressive militarists.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen has appointed as a special military commission the following persons to deal with the Cantonese merchants and volunteers who are opposing his issue of paper money and the confiscation of the people's arms: Hu Han-min, Chief Councillor of the General Headquarters of Dr. Sun Yat-sen; Liao Chung-hoi, Governor of Kwangtung; Wu Chao-chu, Secretary of Foreign Affairs to Dr. Sun; Yang Hsi-min, Commander-in-chief of the Yunnanese Army in Canton; Tan Yen-kai, Commander-in-chief of the Hunanese Army in Canton; Hsu Chung-chi, Commander-in-Chief of the Cantonese Army; Liu Chen-huan, Commander-in-Chief of the Kwangsi-ites Army; Fen Chung-hsiao, Commander-in-Chief of the Honanese Army.

It has been learned with regret that Mr. Wu Chao-chu, son of Dr. Wu Ting-fang and a returned student of note, will join a commission which will exercise authority, both civil and military, on behalf of Dr. Sun Yat-sen against the people. Among the members of the commission Mr. Liao and General Hsu Chung-chi are Cantonese.

Japanese Solons Will Visit China

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, August 28.—A party of 14 M. P.'s, belonging to various political parties and three officials of the Foreign Office, under the leadership of Mr. S. Takeuchi has decided to leave here on October 2 on an inspection tour of Korea, Manchuria, North and Central China. The party is expected to arrive in Shanghai early in November.

Doisy Received By French President

(Reuter's Service)

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RESULTS:

Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes
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01794	6	01850	6	01982	6	02044	6	02045	6	02090	6
02151	6	02308	6	02339	6	02450	6	02452	6	02615	6
02697	6	02718	6	02719	6	02741	6	02834	6	02968	6
02994	6	03061	6	03183	6	03309	6	03351	6	03358	6
03489	6	03846	6	03897	6	03973	6	03984	6	03987	6
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05352	6	05394	6	05398	6	05408	6	05457	6	05523	6
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06571	6	06634	6	06696	6	06729	6	06744	6	06759	6
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07174	6	07182	6	07248	6	07300	6	07341	6	07360	6
07394	6	07435	6	07521	6	07562	6	07569	6	07605	6
07634	6	07645	6	07659	6	07877	6	07913	6	07948	30
07960	6	07969	50	08043	6	08073	6	08074	6	08118	6
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11398	6	11413	6	11430	6	11447	6	11527	6	11530	6
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12302	6	12482	6	12648	6	12656	6	12747	6	12773	6
12830	6	12877	6	12898	6	12911	6	13010	6	13024	30
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18625	6	18636	6	18668	6	18691	6	18740	6	18832	6
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23410	6	23471	6	23610	6	23650	6	23752	6	23837	6
23844	6	23861	6	23987	6	23994	6	24001	6	24033	6
24074	6	24144	6	24168	6	24238	6	24241	6	24253	6
24281	6	24287	6	24322	6	24394	6	24404	6	24411	6
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25268	6	25311	6	25347	6	25419	6	25480	6	25524	6
25526	6	25576	6	25713	6	25771	6	26012	6	26024	6
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29983	6	29987	20	Fifth Prize		29988	500	29989	20	30068	6
30160	6	30163	6	30211	6	30225	6	30237	6	30254	6
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30510	6	30573	6	30614	6	30627	6	30668	6	30674	6
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" " " " 78 (two " " " " " " ") $5
" " " 09 (" " " " " " third ") $5
" " " 18 (" " " " " " fourth ") $5
" " " 88 (" " " " " " fifth ") $5

The numbers terminating with 8 are drawing two prizes, one for termination similar to the first prize of $5 and one for terminations similar to the second prize of $4.
Total $9.

The numbers terminating with 38 are drawing two prizes, one for two terminal figures similar to the first prize of $6 and one for one terminal figure of the second prize of $4.
Total $10.

The numbers terminating with 78 are drawing two prizes, one for termination 78 of $5 and one for one terminal figure similar to the first prize of $5.
Total $10.

The numbers terminating with 18 are drawing the following prizes: for termination 18 of $5, for termination 8, terminal figure similar to the first prize $5, and again for 8, one terminal figure similar to the second prize, of $4.
Total $14.

The numbers terminating with 88 are drawing the following prizes: for termination 88 of $5, for termination 8, similar to the first prize, of $5 and for termination, 8, similar to the second prize $4.
Total $14.

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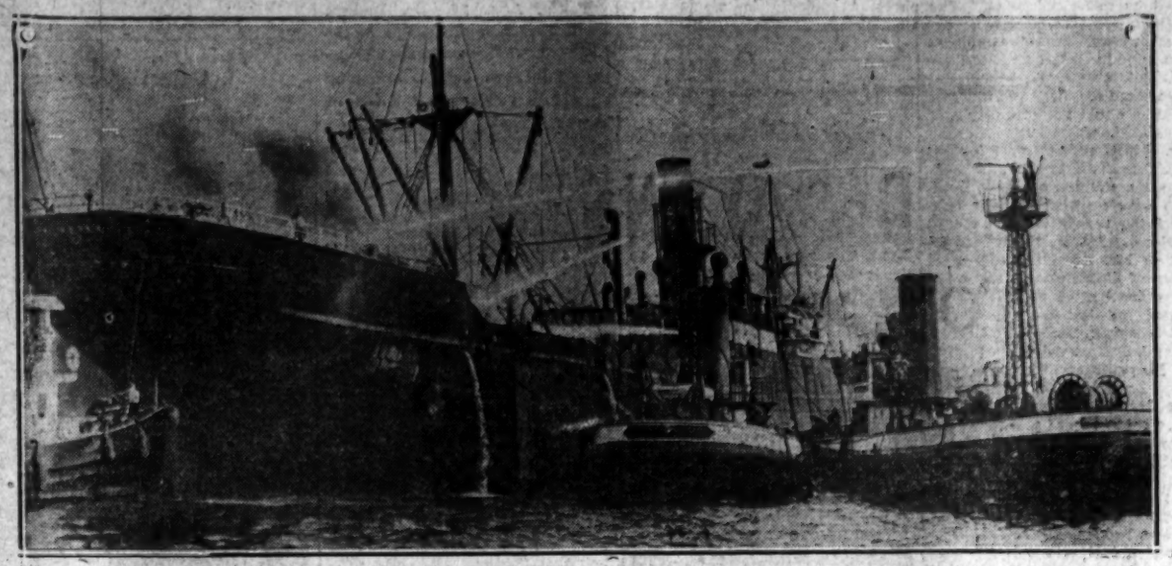
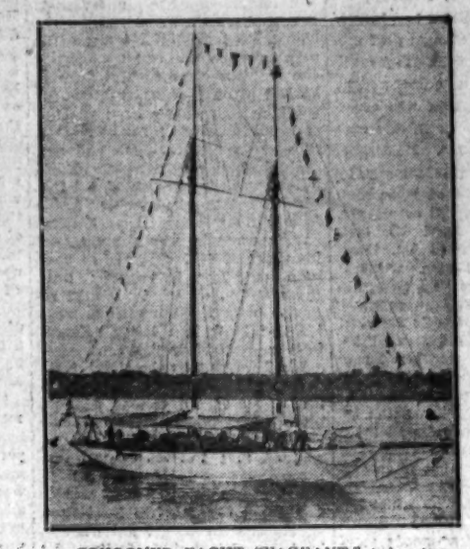
TELLING THE NEWS WITH PICTURES

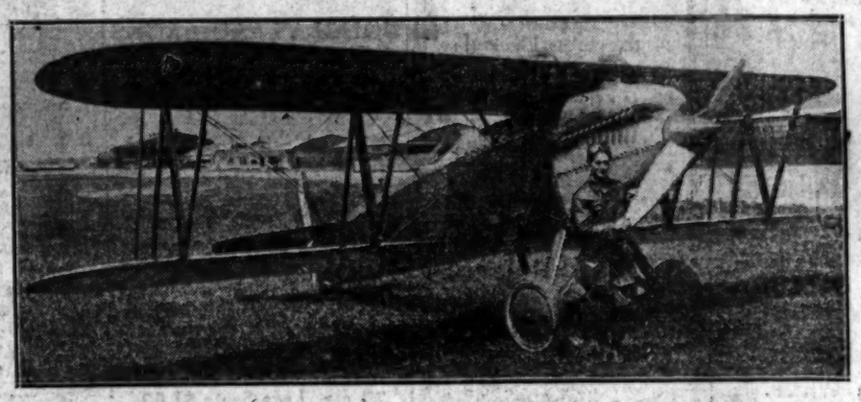
WHO'S THIS SHEIK? GUESS AGAIN! — It's Jack Dempsey, motion picture actor when he isn't world's champion heavyweight, shown in San Francisco with Miss Florence Lee, in reel life, but Mrs. Teddy Hayes, wife of his trainer, in real life. (Int'l Newsreel.)



FIGHTING SERIOUS FIRE ON BLAZING FREIGHTER. —As result of explosion in hold of "Egremont Castle," in Brooklyn, N. Y. dock, five men were killed and many injured. There were 10,000 cases of naptha and benzine in hold of vessel at time of blast. Vessel was submerged in shallow water to extinguish resulting blaze. (Int'l Newsreel.)



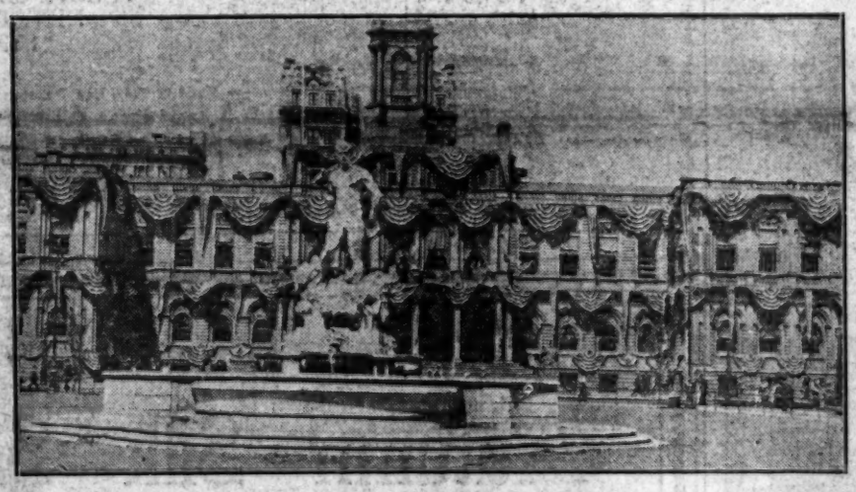
SCHOONER YACHT "VAGRANT," belonging to Commodore Harold Vanderbilt, was contestant in annual New London, Conn., Bermuda race. (Int'l Newsreel.)



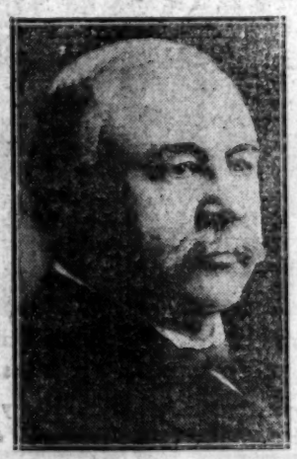
LIEUT. RUSSELL L. MAUGHAM, U. S. A. Air Service, is shown beside pursuit airplane in which he crossed American continent in 22 hours, flying from Mitchell Field, Long Island, to Crissy Field, San Francisco, from dawn to dusk. (Int'l Newsreel.)

FAMOUS BROTHERS. — William Jennings Bryan, delegate from Florida, and Gov. Charles W. Bryan, delegate from Nebraska, conferred at Democratic National Convention in New York City. (Int'l Newsreel.)

HOW THOUSANDS "SAW" DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTON. —Huge amplifiers outside Madison Square Garden, New York City, took proceedings to throngs not holding tickets, as radio did to millions all over United States. (Int'l Newsreel.)

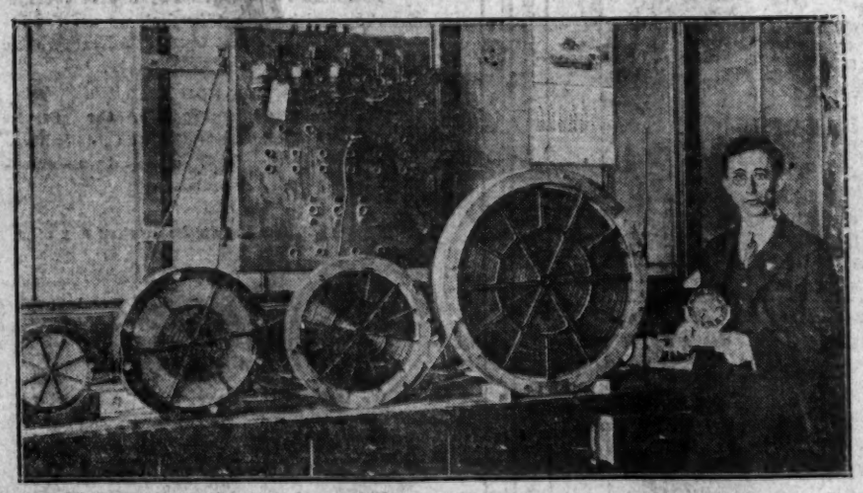


NEW YORK'S ANCIENT CITY HALL, with statue of Civic Virtue in foreground, was beautifully decorated for Democratic National Convention delegates. (Int'l Newsreel.)



LATEST PHOTOGRAPH of U. S. Senator Samuel M. Ralston, of Indiana, Democratic leader. (Int'l Newsreel.)

EX-SENATOR HOMER CUMMINGS, of Connecticut, was Chairman of Resolutions Committee in Democratic National Convention in New York City.



FREE ENTERTAINMENT FOR CAMPERS.—Automobile campers at Schenectady, N. Y., are entertained by this "induction loud speaker," devised by Dr. C. W. Hewlett (shown with it), in laboratory of General Electric Co. (Int'l Newsreel.)

MAH JONG, while bathing, is new sport with society girls in Washington, D. C. (Int'l Newsreel.)

COL. CATO SELLS, of Fort Worth, was delegate at large from Texas to Democratic National Convention in New York City. (Int'l Newsreel.)

MRS. C. BAITER is shown with her champion "Hair, of Romont" at open-air dog show in New York City. (Int'l Newsreel.)

REV. WILL C. McCLUNG, of [illegible] Baptist Church, Denton, Tex., is shown with table composed of 100,000 separate pieces of wood which he recently purchased for $150 in Holy Land. (Int'l Newsreel.)

SUIT FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT IS DISMISSED HERE

(Continued from Page 1)

Kienhuize had failed to inform Messrs. Frazar & Company of certain material details regarding himself. After being questioned by Mr. Addis the plaintiff was cross-examined by Mr. Wright, and said that he had told Mr. McMichael that Messrs. Zylstra & Company, by whom he was employed more than five years, were his last employers. He had left them April 30 last. He had not mentioned Mr. Lord, with whom he had been working during the month of May, as speaking of him would necessitate "giving away" Mr. Lord's financial position. They had separated because the business would not support two foreigners, as was confirmed by a letter which the plaintiff produced in Court, written by Mr. Lord, to this effect. Plaintiff admitted having taken from Mr. Lord's office a piece-goods assortment book, but thought that Mr. Lord could say nothing against his character.

Mr. Steiner, a piece goods merchant, confirmed having offered Mr. Kienhuize a position while in Tsingtao. He had urgently needed a man at the time, but Mr. Kienhuize had declined on account of an agreement with Frazar and Company. He hoped to employ the plaintiff later, though the urgency had passed and he was too short of funds to take him on at once.

Mr. McMichael, of Messrs, Frazar & Company, stated on the stand that the position offered Mr. Kienhuize with his Company was one of great trust. After reaching an agreement with him he had heard several unpleasant reports about the man, and on June 27 sent for him and asked for further details of his work, etc. He had given further information, but failed to mention Mr. Lord in any way. Mr. McMichael had at first understood that the plaintiff had had business relations with Mr. Lord, but thought these were confined to actually turning over the piece goods business of Messrs. Zylstra & Company. He had not inquired of the latter company regarding Mr. Kienhuize, but had inquired of Mr. Lord, the latter being a British subject. Mr. Lord had told him many unfavorable things about Mr. Kienhuize, and he had decided the latter was not the man for a position of trust. When the plaintiff came to him July 16 he had given incorrect reasons for breaking the contract, not wishing to bring Mr. Lord into the matter. One of the things which had prejudiced him against Mr. Kienhuize was knowledge of a letter which the latter had written to his former employer, Mr. Zylstra, asking when he was going to get his share of £150 supposed to have been paid by a Manchester firm, Bless & Co., on what plaintiff referred to in the letter as a "fictitious claim." The letter referred to was produced in Court.

Mr. Lord, put on the stand, testified to having employed Mr. Kienhuize. He had begun to distrust him, and therefore terminated their relations after one month. He explained that he had written the letter produced by plaintiff in Court, stating that the business would not support two foreigners, simply because he did not want to hurt Mr. Kienhuize's feelings by telling him the real reason. Mr. Kienhuize had taken a piece-goods assortment book, an article of considerable value, from the office. If he had been asked regarding the plaintiff he could not have given him a good character.

Mr. Wright, summing up for the defense, pointed out that a contract made on the basis of misrepresentation was voidable by the party to whom misrepresentation had been made, which was in this case Messrs. Frazar & Co. The plaintiff had deliberately withheld information because he knew that if he gave it he would not be employed. He had stated that Messrs. Zylstra & Company were his last employers, while in point of fact Mr. Lord had been, and if Mr. McMichael had known about Mr. Lord and inquired of him he would not have employed the plaintiff.

Mr. Addis, summing up for the plaintiff, referred to the letter written to Mr. Kienhuize by Mr. Lord, which gave no hint of their relations being terminated on account of distrust. Mr. McMichael's statement to Mr. Kienhuize also gave no sign of distrust being the cause of termination of their contract. Plaintiff had lost his opportunity of early employment with Messrs. Steiner & Company through relying upon his contract with the defendants.

The Court, in pronouncing judgment, said there was no doubt about a perfectly good and apparently valid contract having been made. The defendants, therefore, were thrown back upon a charge of misrepresentation, which the Court felt they had established. There was undoubtedly concealment, and it seems clear that there was misrepresentation, and that the misrepresentation was material. The contract was therefore voidable by the defendant company, and it had been voided by their action. The plaintiff's action was therefore dismissed, with costs.

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Americans Purchase Bolivian Tin Mines

(Reuter's American Service)

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(Reuter's Pacific Service)

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What The Chinese Papers Are Saying

Peking, August 27.—The Diplomatic Corps has ordered 38 Warships for service along the Yangtse between Kiukiang and Woosung as well as Chien Tan River and Sanmenwan.—Shun Pao.

Peking, August 27.—Wellington Koo is asking for leave of absence on account of his indisposition. Kao Ling-wei is refraining from returning to Peking for fear that he might be asked to organise a Cabinet.—Shun Pao.

Peking, August 27.—Dr. Huang Yen-pei, president of the Kiangsu Educational Association, arrived here today and will meet Dr. Paul Monroe, who has been authorised by the Washington Government to come to China in connection with the use of the returned portion of the Boxer Indemnity. Dr. Monroe is exchanging views with government officials and educationalists and is said to have been instructed by the American Government to confine the use of the funds for educational and cultural purposes.—Shun Pao.

Mukden, August 27.—General Pao Kwei-ching has consented to serve as director of the Chinese Eastern Railway, whose power has been increased through his influence with Peking and Mukden. He will return to Peking shortly and his appointment is expected to be gazetted within a few days.—Shun Pao.

Mukden, August 27.—General Chang Hsueh-liang yesterday ordered General Liang Shan-tung, deputy-commander of the Fei Yin Aviation Squadron, to go to Chinchow with five planes and five body-guards.—Shun Pao.

Hongkong, August 27.—The local authorities yesterday confiscated the personal properties of Chen Lien-peh and Chen Kung-shou, commander and deputy commander of the Canton Volunteer Corps.—Shun Pao.

Peking, August 27.—As a result of the war rumors in today's and yesterday's press in the Kiangsu-Chekiang situation, the various foreign ministers who were having their vacation in Peitaiho returned to Peking today. The British Minister called on Wellington Koo this morning and brought forth three points: 1. What definite news has been received by the government? What measures are being adopted by the government to prevent the hostilities?

2. After the outbreak, how is the government going to protect the life and property of the foreigners in Shanghai?

3. Damages sustained by foreigners in case of warfare must be paid by the Chinese Government.

In reply, Koo asserted that the Central Government was strongly in favor of peace. If by misfortune, war actually breaks out, it will be confined within the territorial limitz of the provinces and should not effect the general political situation.—Sin Wan Pao.

Peking, August 27.—The evening newspapers here say that in view of the departure of the forces of Chen Tiao-yuan from Hsuchowfu, Marshal Wu Pei-fu has despatched two brigades to replace the forces at Hsuchowfu.—Sin Wan Pao.

Tientsin, August 27.—Secret service men are scutinising at the gate of the home of Marshal Tuan Chi-jui. All guests calling at the house have been watched and their description sent to the police for record.—Sin Wan Pao.

Peking, August 27.—The radical clique in Mukden favors to strike at the Chihli party in conjunction with the Soutneastern warfare while the Conservatives are non-committal. Despite the seriousness of the Kiangsu-Chekiang situation, no military development is expected in the Northeast.—Eastern Times.

Nantungchow, August 27.—Two thousand four hundred troops under the command of General Ma Yu-jen passed through here today on their way to Changshu. The soldiery under Chang Jen-kwei of this city left yesterday for Chinkiang.—Times.

Yangchow, August 27.—A mass meeting of gentry and merchants as held yesterday to demand the release of the laborers who have been pressed into service by the military authorities. The Magistrate was compelled to bring up the matter with the warriors. The shops here went on strike today as a protest against the conscription.—Eastern Times.

Peking, August 27.—The Dutch Charge D'Affaires, on behalf of the Doyen of the Diplomatic Corps, today handed over the former Russian Legation to the Soviet authorities in Peking.—Eastern Times.

Peking, August 27.—Strict vigilance is being exercised by secret service men over the houses occupied by Messrs. Pan Yang-kwan, Feng Tse-yu and Tsiao Yi-tang, Kuomingtang members of Parliamentarians. It is understood the government will take drastic steps against them if war breaks out in Chekiang. A number of Parliamentarians are addressing an interpellation to Parliament.—Shanghai Tribune.

Peking, August 27.—Three months' leave of absence have been asked by Mr. Tai Chen-lin Chinese Minister to Swedan. He maintains that he is indisposed and wishes to return to China to see his relatives.—Shanghai Tribune.

Hongkong, August 27.—A Swatow telegram states that General Chen Chiung-ming has ordered Hung Jao-lin to assist Chekiang by bombarding Fukien. Hung is entering Fukien by means of two columns of forces and has arrived in Lung-Nga. Chang Yi has withdrawn to Changchow.—Shanghai Tribune.

Hangchow, August 27.—In reply to the peace-makers, General Lu Yung hsiang has endorsed the peace plan of keeping the hostile forces apart for the present. But he called attention to the fact that his Kiangsu rival was making all the warlike gestures and requested them to find an ultimate solution of the situation, which would eliminate once for all future squabble and appease the mind of the public.—Shanghai Tribune.

Hangchow, August 27.—A freight train was derailed at Wangtien today, but repair work was completed a little while later and the normal schedule was observed.—Shanghai Tribune.

Peking, August 27.—The local press again circulated the report that Marshal Tuan Chi-jui has left Tientsin.—Republican Daily News.

THREE STEAMERS WITH U.S. MAIL DUE IN TODAY

Asia And Wilson Due To Leave With Mail Sunday

Three Pacific liners are due to arrive in Shanghai today with mail cargo and heavy passenger lists for this port. The Empress of Canada, loaded with 600 bags of mail and 400 tons of cargo is expected to arrive here a little after noon today. The Canada will make her first trip up the Whangpoo and dock at the China Merchants Lower wharf and is to be open to the public for inspection between 4 and 6 this afternoon.

While the Canada will berth at the lower wharf the Admiral Line steamer President Madison is to dock at the C. M. Central wharf carrying about 919 bags of mail and 1,200 tons of cargo. The Madison is due to berth at 10 this morning and sail on Sunday morning at 10 while the Canada wi continue her trip to Hongkong and Manila 10 a.m. tomorrow.

The Arizona Maru of the O. S. K. fleet is the third mail steamer due in today. The Arizona is due in from Seattle some time this afternoon.

Mails for America and Canada will be carried by two liners leaving, Sunday, the Pacific Mail steamer President Wilson which is due in from Manila and Hongkong at daylight Saturday morning and will sail for San Francisco at about 10 o'clock on Sunday morning, while the Empress of Asia which sailed from Hongkong at noon yesterday is expected to arrive at the C. M. Lower wharf a little afternoon tomorrow and will depart for Vancouver at 10 o'clock Sunday morning with mail and passengers for America.

Since both the Central and Lower wharves will be occupied, the President Wilson is scheduled to dock at the C. M. Eastern wharf in Pootung and the incoming tender is due at the Customs Jetty at 8:30 a.m. tomorrow. The schedule for the outgoing tenders for the boat are: 12 noon and 7:30 p.m. on Saturday 12:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. on Sunday, all tenders to leave from and arrive at the Customs Jetty.

Bus Passengers Burned To Death

(Reuter's Service)

Amsterdam, August 27.—Five passengers were incinerated and two seriously injured owing to a motorbus catching five yesterday at Heino, in the Province of Overijsel.

Chitcherin Lays Stress On Claims

(Reuter's Service)

Moscow, August 27.—Interviewed with regard to claims of Russians for compensation for personal injury or loss of property as a result of "foreign intervention" in Russia, M. Chitcherin emphasised the importance of such claims in any future negotiations of the Soviet Government with Great Britain and other foreign Powers which participated in the intervention and are responsible for its consequences.

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Commercial News

Economic And Financial Conditions During July

By Dr. E. Kann, of the Chinese American Bank of Commerce.

(Continued from yesterday)

As regards prospects for the new crop of China cotton it appears that a very good harvest may be expected in 1924. The acreage under cotton in China is considerably larger this season and weather conditions, up to the end of July, have been ideal. In the absence of official statistics, it is impossible to venture an estimate as to the probable size of the new crop, which one Chinese expert puts at between 3 million and 4 million bales. The following forecast regarding China's probable cotton crop is published by the Chinese Mill Owners Association from various reports received by them from the entire cotton belt up to July 31. Acreage, 31,949,985 mow, increase 8.1 percent, as compared with last year. Yield expected, 7,076,156 piculs, discrease 1 percent, as compared with last year. Official figures estimate at the the end of July that this year's cotton crop in U. S.-A. will be 11,-924,000 bales, which is only 68.5 perpent.

In spite of excellent prospects for this year's cotton crop in China, prices for the local staple are very high. Japanese buyers have contracted on July 25 15,000 bales of new crop cotton at 41 Taels per picul for the Tungchow variety, though business was done at Tls. 38 a week earlier. The prospect on the part of China Cotton Yarn Mills of having to contend with high priced raw cotton, are very gloomy for the local industrial establishments. These will flourish if and when large supplies of raw cotton are available at reasonable prices.

By the end of July about 40% of the Shanghai Cotton Spinning Mills have closed down, including one foreign owned mill. The output of the remaining Mills is about 60% below what is produced in normal times. Apart from the financial point of view the question arises what to do with the very large number of unemployed mill hands.

It is now exactly two years ago that the crisis in the local cotton spinning industry has become acute, and it is to be hoped that we are on the eve of a permanent improvement of the entire situation.

The following figures give particulars regarding imports and exports of cotton to and from China during recent years:

	IMPORTS Piculs	IMPORTS Haikwan T	EXPORTS Piculs	EXPORTS Haikwan T
1912	279,200	6,180,000	803,800	17,021,000
1914	126,500	2,872,000	659,700	12,339,500
1916	407,600	8,068,800	851,000	17,091,000
1918	190,100	6,070,500	1,292,000	37,887,300
1919	239,000	6,499,000	1,072,000	30,252,400
1920	678,300	17,993,200	375,200	9,224,500
1921	1,682,500	36,867,000	609,500	16,483,000
1922	1,736,700	42,182,900	1,022,400	23,752,200
1923	1,621,300	54,057,000	1,240,800	33,927,200

The total imports from foreign countries of cotton goods and cotton yarn during recent years was as follows:

	Cotton Goods	Cotton Yarn
1918	Hai. Tls. 96,860,000	Hai. Tls. 54,480,000
1919	" " 135,940,000	" " 75,115,000
1920	" " 168,125,000	" " 78,688,000
1921	" " 141,690,000	" " 67,013,000
1922	" " 151,566,000	" " 66,957,000
1923	" " 131,887,000	" " 41,633,000

NUMBER OF SPINDLES AND LOOMS IN CHINA

Make	Spindles Working	Spindles Ordered	Looms Working	Looms Ordered	Doublers Working	Doublers Ordered
British	2,106,167	314,573	9,234	2,386	66,524	800
American	897,540	107,720	1,698	——	19,752	
Japanese	——	——	3,011	1,502		
Composite	21,592	20,000	——	——		
Unknown	138,713	30,320	925	250		
French		20,366	——	——	——	——
Total	3,164,012	492,979	14,868	4,138	86,276	800

These figures refer to conditions prevailing in the spring of 1924 and compare as follows with previous dates:

1/8/21	Spindles Working and Ordered 1/8/22	1/8/22	1/8/21
2,656,991	2,441,708	2,216,045	1,672,950

The amount of capital invested by Cotton Mills in China is stated to be as follows:

In British Mills	Taels	8,300,000
In Japanese Mills	Taels	20,600,000
In Japanese Mills	Yen	247,000,000
In Chinese Mills	Taels	48,245,000
In Chinese Mills	Dollar	58,090,000

Grouped by nationality we have now operating in China:

80 Chinese Mills
5 British "
48 Japanese "

The end of June witnessed a further substantial increase in the acreage devoted to cotton cultivation for 1924 in the United States. The principal factors for the determination of the prospective size of the crop are weather and climatic conditions generally and the absence or prevalence of insect pest, notably the boll weevil. The 1924 crop is about three weeks late, a handicap which characterised the cotton crops for the past three successive seasons.

In 1921 the production of raw cotton in U. S. A. fell to 7,953,000 bales from 13,439,000 bales in 1920. This was principally due to a deliberate reduction of the acreage under cotton cultivation, with a view to bring prices to a higher level. In 1922 the cotton crop reached 9,762,000 bales and 1923, through an addition of 3,700,000 acres to the planted area, yielded a crop of 10,128,000 bales. So far weather conditions have been very favorable and authoritative sources estimated, at the end of June, that this year's crop in U. S. A. is likely to reach 12,100,000 bales.

It is a very significant fact that the yield of cotton in America has much deteriorated during the last 10 years. In 1914 the average yield was 209.2 lbs. of cotton per acre, in 1920 only 178.4 lbs. while 1923 saw a reduction to 130.6 lbs. per acre. Apart from unfavorable meterological conditions the damage done by the boll weevil had extended during recent years; probably soil exhaustion played its part too. Determined efforts are now made to remedy the latter by the liberal supply of efficient fertilisers.

The following table shows average prices of middling upland cotton in New York during the past ten seasons:

1924-15	8.97	Cents
1915-16	11.98	"
1916-17	19.12	"
1917-18	29.65	"
1918-19	31.04	"
1919-20	38.25	"
1920-21	17.89	"
1921-22	18.92	"
1922-23	26.30	"
1923-24	30.58	"

It is a significant factor for price levels that Russia, during the first five months of the current year, purchased in the United States raw cotton to the extent of 35 million Dollars, all of which is reported to have been financed by one single Bank, the Chase National Bank of New York. At the rate purchased up to now Russia may take up to 100 million Dollars worth of cotton from America in course of this year.

CANAL TERMINALS AID N.Y. TRADE

Five New Ones Constructed; Largest One Worth $6,-000,000 By Itself.

One of the important recent developments in New York Harbor has been the construction of five great canal-boat terminals. One of these is the largest in the world and has cost with its equipment $6,000,000. The most efficient cargo-handling machinery has been installed, and as a result New York may reasonably expect to attrat a much larger tonnage of waterborne commerce than ever before.

It is not generally realised that New York owes its pre-eminence as a port largely to the stimulus of its canalboat trade. At one time New York, despite its great harbor, had only a small proportion of the nation's tonnage. Philadelphia surpassed New York for many years and was expected to be the great port of America in the future. When the Erie Canal was opened, long tows of canal-boats soon found their way to New York, bringing freight from the Great Lakes. No other Atlantic port could then compete with New York. One may say that the Eire Canal gave New York its commercial supremacy.

PREPARE FOR NEW TRADE

The Barge Canal across New York State, which is expected to do much to increase New York commerce, was opened during the war and attracted less attention than if the opening had occurred in peace time. Meanwhile, elaborate preparations have been made in New York Harbor to accommodate the great traffic which the canal is expected to bring. In the past, canal traffic has been handled in a costly and inefficient manner at several oldfashioned terminals. The new terminals compare favorably with those of Europe and may be expected to work a great economy in handling freight of all kinds.

The canal presents an interesting problem in modern commercial engineering. There are at present two schools of thought on the subject. One believes that the day of the canal is past and that freight in the future will be carried only by railroads and motor trucks. A second group of engineers insists that canal transportation and that the canal as an artery of commerce will play a more important part in the future of the country than in the past.

Many kinds of freight, it is said, can be carried by canals for from one third to one-half the cost of railroad transportaton. A number of canals, however, have been closed in recent years and their freight carried by rail. The dimculty seems to be that the cost of loading or unlocading and carrying freight at canal terminals is usually so high as to outbalance the saving in actual hauling charges.

A railroad can build a branch line or a side line into a factory, which makes it possible to deliver freight direct without extra hauling. A canal, on the other hand, cannot well build branch canals. It is necessary to discharge freight at the end of the canal and transport it to its final destination by rail or motor truck. The cost of loading and unloading canal-boats may be greater than the expense of carrying the cargoes for hundreds of miles.

AID TRANS-SHIPMENTS

The new terminals in New York Harbor have revolutionized methods of trans-shipment. A canal-boat laden with wheat, for instance, may be brought alongside an elevator and its cargo handled by automatic carrier devices. The slow, laborious work of former days may be performed cheaply in a few hours. If the boat carries a cargo of steel it may be brought alongside docks equipped with modern machinery for handling it. Traveling cranes will pick up heavy girders from the hold and carry them hundreds of feet to railroad cars, or perhaps the hold of a steamer.

The largest and best equipped of the new terminals is at Gowanus Bay. Here any day fleets of canal-boats may be seen lying at the dock of the terminal in various stages of loading and unloading. These docks are covered with modern steel structures, where perishable cargoes may be protected. The travelling cranes, raised high in air, lend a very busy appearance to the terminal. Most of the terminals are reached by direct railroad connections, so that cargoes may be carried from points inland to the side of the canal-boats. The former loss in transhipping cargoes is thus reduced to a minimum.

BOATS IMPROVED.

Canal boats have also been improved, The older craft have largely disappeared. Canal-boats have been built on much the same lines for centuries, both in America and Europe. The prows, as a rule, were cut off squarely, thus increasing the resistance of the water. In the newer types of boats the prow is much more ship-shape. They follow the best design in canal-boat construction, which were determined after a series of tests carried on by the Government in the Mississippi River. They also have larger hatches, thus facilitating cargo handling by machinery.

The new terminals are so arranged that steamships may dock conveniently beside the canal-boats. An ocean freighter can thus discharge its cargo into a canal-boat, to be carried to the Great Lakes. Canal cargoes in turn can be transferred to the holds of ocean craft.

Hankow Trade

The British Chamber of Commerce, Hankow, states in its weekly circular of trade statistics under date August 20:

Bar silver commenced the week at 34⅞ ready and forward and declined slightly, closing at 34⅞ ready and forward with a firmer tendency. New York-London cross-rate opened at 453¾ rose to 455½ on the 7th instant, but declined, closing at 449⅞. T.T. at 3/3¼ remained at that rate until the 20th instant, when it rose to 3/3½ with indications of a further temporary rise. 4 M/Credits done at 3/4½ August-September at the opening of the week fluctuated, but to a small extent only, and closed at 3/4⅝ with sellers holding back for lower rates. Chinese market rates: Shanghai Taels 98.45. Local currency $70.325. Native interest 14 percent.

EXPORTS

Some business in wood oil, beans and Chinagrass was reported for last week and tael values for these commodities are firm. Antimony regulus is in strong demand but there are no sellers owing to scarcity of supplies. There is a better enquiry from Europe for produce.

IMPORTS

Piece Goods:—Market quiet and demand for stocks small.

Yarn:—Market slightly weaker.

BLACK TEA

The demand has continued during the present week on pretty much the same lines as in the previous week, and there has been a further big reduction in the supply of better grade tea.

Lower grade teas are also beginning to attract attention, and there has been a fair amount of business round about Tls. 22, the types chosen being with fairly black leaf.

Common grades are still neglected and even if prices are reduced Tls. 2/3, there would still appear to be very little demand from foreign markets.

At date about 192,000 H/C first crop tea have been put on the market and 126,000 H/C settled, while the similar figures for second crop are 45,000 H/C and settlements 3,300 H/C. Stocks of both crops stand at over 100,000 H/C.

Tramway Returns

The following is the traffic return of the Shanghai Tramways (Foreign Settlement) for the week ended August 27, 1924, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1924
Gross receipts	$88,878.43
Loss by currency depreciation	$40,368.13
Effective receipts	$48,510.30
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	49.27
Car miles run	119,953
Passengers carried	2,343,700
	1923
Gross receipts	$78,130.02
Loss by currency depreciation	$3,582.96
Effective receipts	$44,547.07
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	44.44
Car miles run	116,617
Passengers carried	2,697,999

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SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closing Quotations

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. & S. Banks	H.$1180 B.
Chartered	£20 B.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Mercantile Bk. A-B	£29¼ B.
Mercantile Bank C.	£12¼ B.
P. & O. Banking	£11
Bank of East Asia	H.$99 B.
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$710 B.
North China	Tls. 136
Union of Canton	H.$230 B.
Yangtsze	H.$30
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$175 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$590 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$110 B.
Indo-China Perf.	H.$38 B.
"Shell"	78/-
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 85
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 48½
H.C.&M.S.B.Co.Ltd.	H.$38½ B
Star Ferry	H.$98 B.
Douglas S.S. Co.	H.$60 B.
Union Waterboat	H.$16½S.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	H.$5 S.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$162½ B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 92 B
New Eng. Works	Tls. 6¼ B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5¼
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 198
Hongkong Wharf	H.$218 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 119 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 115 B.
Hongkong Lands	H.$116 S.
Humphreys Estate	H.$22½ B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 40 S.
H. & S. Hotel old	H.$22.10 B.
H. & S. Hotel new	H.$21¾ B.
Prince Building Co.	H.$150 B.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (pref)	Tls. 10¼ B.
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 10s
Lacu-kung-mow	Tls. 8
Oriental	Tls. 3.45
S'hai Cotton Old	Tls. 45 B.
S'hai Cotton New	Tls. 20 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H.$345 B.
Green Island (comb	H.$26¼ B.
Langkats (Comb.)	Tls. 18.65
Langkats (Single)	Tls. 7¾
Loans	Tls. 4¾
Explorations	Tls. 5¼
do (new issue)	Tls. 2.10 B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 107
Stores	
Hall and Holts	$5½ S.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35
Lane Crawford	Tls. 100 B.
Moutrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$26½ B.
Weeks	$6
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 4.85
Amherst	Tls. 0.10
Anglo-Java	Tls. 5¼
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2½
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 22
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.65
Bute	Tls. 0.55 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 0.92½ B
Chemor United	Tls. 0.90
Chempedak	Tls. 4½
Cheng	Tls. 1
Consolidated	Tls. 2.05
Dominion	Tls. 1.40 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 8¼
Java Consolidated	Tls. 8½
Kali Glideks	Tls. 5¾ B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9.40
Karan	Tls. 3 B.
Kedah	Tls. 0.85
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.57½
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 11 B.
Padang	Tls. 4
Pengkahlan Durian	Tls. 0.50 B.
Permata	Tls. 2.20 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.65
Samagagas	Tls. 0.70
Seekoes	Tls. 0.85
Semambu	Tls. 1
Semawang	Tls. 0.75
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.55
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref	Tls. 7½
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.50
Sungala	Tls. 0.70 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 7¾
Sua Mangis	Tls. 2½ B.
S'hai Serambah	Tls. 0.25 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.40
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.70
Tebong	Tls. 1.05
Ziangbee	Tls. 2.40
Miscellaneous	
C.Y.&E.Lumber	Tls. 325
Gilly Dairy	Tls. 12 S.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 17 X.R. B
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 42½
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephones	Tls. 75 B.
S'hai Waterwork R.	Tls. 152
China Prov. Old	H.$165¾ B.
China Prov. New	R.$5 B.
H'kong Electrics	H.$40¼ B.
H'kong Tramways	H.$41½xd B
Dairy Farm	H.$98 B.
H'kong Ropes, Old	H.$20
H'kong Ropes, New	H.$7
China Lights Old	H.$16 B.
China Lights New	H.$10 B.
Peak Tways Old	H.$19½ B.
Peak Tways New	H.$4½ B.

Money Exchang

Shanghai, August 28, 1924

Bank's Demand Selling Rate for £1 at 3/3 1/32 = Tls. 6.07 at 72 $8.43

G.$100 at 74 1/4 = Tls. 134.68 72 = $187.05

Ch. Dollars market rate	7406
Native Interest	25
Copper Cash	269,000
Shanghai Gold Bar	267
Bar Silver	34 7/32
Bank Rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	82.73
New York on London	449
London:	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/3 1/32
Demand	3/3 1/32
New York:	
Telegraphic Transfer	74
Demand	74 1/4

H. & S. B. C. Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

Banks' Selling Rates

London T.T.	3/3
London Demand	3/3 1/32
London 4 m-s	3/3 1/4
India T.T.	224
France T.T.	1350
America T.T.	73
Hongkong T.T.	73
Japan T.T.	56¾
Batavia T.T.	192¾
Straits T.T.	72

Banks' Buying Rate

London 4 m-s Credits	3/4 1/4
London 4 m-s Docts	3/4 1/32
London 6 m-s Credits	3/4 5/32
London 6 m-s Docts	—
France 4 m-s	1420
America 4 m-s L/c	75½
Docs	76

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Closing Rates

Selling Demand Draft

U.S. G.$100.00 = S'hai $183.99
Stg. 1.0.0 = S'hai $8.30
Fcs. 100.00 = S'hai $10.05
Yen. 100.00 = S'hai $75.82

Buying Demand Draft

U.S. G.$100.00 = S'hai $179.70
Stg. 1.0.0 = S'hai $8.09
Fcs. 100.00 = S'hai $9.63
Yen. 100.00 = S'hai $73.45

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Bank's Selling Rates for:

It. Lire 16.65 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.94 = 1 Tael
It. Lire 9.30 = 1 Yen

Chinese Government Bonds (Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Tuesday.	Yesterday.
3rd Year 6%	95.00	94.00
5th Year 6%	70.00	70.00
7th Year 6%	56.00	50.00
9th Year 6%	77.40	73.00
6% Consolidated	64.70	58.00
7% Consolidated	70.00	68.00
11th Year 8%	98.00	97.00
96 Millions 8%	25.00	24.00

Russo-Asiatic Bank

Bank's Selling Rates

1 Chervonetz = G.$5.30

International Banking Corporation

Closing Counter Rates

Demand selling on America 74¼
Demand buying on America 75¼
Demand selling on London 3/3½
Demand buying on London 3/4⅝

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, August 28, 1924

OFFICIAL

Nil

UNOFFICIAL

Shanghai Explorations (N. I.) Tls. 2.10
Trams "B" (Ex Rights) Tls. 17.10

Shanghai Sharebrokers' Association

Business Done

Shanghai, August 28, 1924

OFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 5.50 Nov.

UNOFFICIAL

Tanah Merahs Tls. 0.67½
Anglo Javas Tls. 5.25
Anglo Javas Tls. 5.40 Nov.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on August 26, 1924.

BUTCHER'S MEAT

Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Veal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	55-60
Woodcock	"	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	each	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none

FRUIT

Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	12-16
Bananas	"	8-10
Chestnuts	"	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lichees	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	8-10
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	each	15-30
Mangosteens	ped doz.	none
Oranges	per doz.	80-$1.00
Peaches	per lb.	15-30
Persimmons	"	10-12
Pears	"	19-15
Peeboes	"	none
Plums	"	12-15
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-36

FISH

Bream	per lb.	40-45
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	per lb.	60-70
Mackerel	"	30-35
Pomfret	"	25-30
Salmon	"	none
Samli	"	none
Soles	"	50-60
Whitebait	"	30-40

GAME POULTRY AND EGGS

Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	25-30
Duck	each	50-80
Hare	each	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	"	80-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Pigeons	"	20-25
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	16-18
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples	" 1	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	15-18

VEGETABLES

Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	30-40
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	per lb.	none
Cabbages	each	5-8
Celery	per bunch	none
Cucumber	"	8-10
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg Plant	per lb.	4-5
French Beans	"	8-10
Green Corn	each	2-3
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Mushrooms	per lb.	80-$1.00
Onions	per lb.	2-3
Peas	per lb.	none
Parsnips	"	5-6
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$2.20
Radishes	per bunch	1-2
Spinach	"	5-6
Tomatoes	"	4-5
Turnips	per bunch	2-3

GRAIN AND FLOUR

Flour American	50 lbs.	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	"	$3.00
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$2.70
Barley	"	$3.60
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$12.20

MILK

Chinese dairies per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies "	$0.25

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Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.70

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The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908
(*Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association*)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 500,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road. Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
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LI MING, *General Manager*

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Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger S. A.

(Affiliated to the Societe Generale de Belgique,)

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Capital (subscribed	100,000,000
Capital (paid up)	75,000,000
Reserves	34,000,000

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Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

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Capital:

Authorized Capital	$50,000,000
Issued and fully paid up	$30,000,000
Reserve Funds:	
Sterling	£ 4,500,000
Silver	$25,500,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	$30,000,000

Head Office: Hongkong.

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HON. MR. A. G. STEPHEN.
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A. B. Lowson, Acting Manager.

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(*Netherlands Trading Society*)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital:	Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds:	Guilders 20,045, 032 (about £1,670,419)
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Head Agency BATAVIA

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Djember	Singapore	
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M. J. HERRSCHLEB, Manager.

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The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Cable Address: "EASTABANK"
Shanghai Branch
No. 1c Kinkiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund	750,000.00

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Capital Paid-up	£1,078,530-0-0
Reserve Fund	H.K. $700,000.00

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Hongkong
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Exchange Dept: C-1617
W. P. Chenng, Manager. Shanghai Branch.

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The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

CAPITAL PAID-UP	$2,500,000.00
RESERVE FUND	$1,050,975.42

HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI
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Chung Foo Union Bank

Reserve Fund	$1,500,000.00
Subscribed Capital	$ 290,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$2,000,000.00

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C. 1929 Manager's Office,
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Telephone Numbers
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C. 6470)
C. 5630 T. T. Department.

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THE CHINA PRESS

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Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Ellis and Co. yesterday received the following quotations by cable from Hongkong:

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corpn. $1,200 buyers.

Hongkong Land Investment Co. $119 buyers.

Union Insurance Society of Canton $232 buyers.

HongKong & Kowloon Wharfs $218 buyers.

Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co. $165 buyers.

Green Island Cement Co. (old) $20 nominal.

Green Island Cement Co. (new) $8½ buyers.

Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (new) $23 buyers.

China Sugar Refinery Co. $370 nominal.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. $590 buyers.

Hongkong Tramway Co. $42½ buyers.

Passengers Arrived

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Katori Maru from European ports yesterday morning: Mr. H. G. Rowden, Miss K. Chisai, Mr. Cho Kwan Kin, Mr. H. Okabe, Mr. I. Maeda, Mr. T. Minami, Mr. R. H. Clerk, Miss D. Remedios, Miss I. D. Remedios, Miss C. Virginia Lee, Miss J. V. Lee, Mr. Ng Sion Ngron, Mr. G. Barbour, Mr. R. Matheson, Miss M. Schiz, Mrs. H. W. Thoburn.

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U. S. CONSULATE COLLECTS DATA ON IMMIGRANTS

Russian Applicants Asked To Send In Names As Soon As Possible

In order to facilitate the entrance into America of Russian immigrants who are eligible for admission under the quota regulations for 1924, the American Consulate-General here has issued an official notice calling upon these individuals to send in their names to the Consulate.

The Passport Office is making a special enrollment of Russians of European or Asiatic birth who desire to enter America. It is especially desirous of obtaining the names of those Russians who hold American consular visas which they were unable to use by reason of the exhaustion of last year's fiscal quota and who desire to obtain new visas under the Immigration Act of 1924. It is probable that these persons who hold visas but who were unable to enter America in 1923 will be given preference over any later applicants. Requests for enrollment may be made by mail in cases where the alien is a resident of this consular district is temporarily absent therefrom.

Few people are aware of the great detail and minutiae involved in ascertaining who are eligible immigrants and in assisting them to enter America. The American Quota Control Officer is located in the most populous city of every country and all requests for admission of nationals of that country to America must be made through him. In the case of Mr. Cunningham American consul-general, here, who is Quota Control Officer for China, all China-born persons whether resident in Sidney, Canada, Shanghai or Europe, must apply to him through the consul of the country in which they are residing. Upon receipt of their telegraphic applications Mr. Cunningham gives each applicant a number. These numbers are sent to them through the consul in the country of their residence and then, upon examination of the applicant, if he is found eligible, his name is entered opposite the number and the Quota Control Officer is advised so that he may bring his records up to date and know when the country's quota has been reached.

This leaves the entire burden of the entrance of immigrants up to the consular authorities and not to the Immigration officials. It involves tremendous detail and expense, especially for cables, but it has been found to be the surest way of safeguarding the interests of both the immigrant and the United States.

This system is operative only for the classes known as "ordinary" and "preferred" immigrants and does not apply to students going to America to study. The same care is taken with them, however. An instance of the expense and detail involved in caring for the recent group of Chinese students who left Shanghai for American universities is found in the statement that much more money was expended in lengthy cables that made the way smooth for the students and eliminated difficulties at the port of entry, than was received from their visa fees.

MANY RUSSIANS HERE REQUEST REPATRIATION

Applications For Visas Are Also Received From Alien Nationals

Many applications for repatriation, under the terms of the general amnesty proclamation issued by the Soviet Government recently, are being made to Mr. R. J. Elleder, Soviet representative in Shanghai, at the former Russian Consulate on Whangpoo Road, according to the New Shanghai Life, a local Russian newspaper.

The paper reports that the number of applications has been so great as to exceed the funds at the disposal of Mr. Elleder for repatriation work. Eighty Russians were sent from Shanghai to Siberia via Dairen on August 16, and another party of forty will be despatched soon.

A group of officers have made a request that they and their families be sent back to Russia before the cold weather sets in Siberia and Russia.

The Soviet representative is also said to be in receipt of many applications for visas from French, British, Italian and other nationals who desire to travel through Siberia and Russia. In the case of nationals whose governments have recognised the Soviet, the visas are being granted, by Soviet Ambassador Karakhan at Peking at the request of the local representative. Eight visas were issued on August 25. Those nationals whose government have not recognised the Soviet are obliged to wait until individual rulings are made on their applications by the People's Commisariat for Foreign Affairs at Moscow.

It is said that twenty-five to forty Russians are calling at the offices of the Soviet representative here daily for the purpose of registration.

Prorogue Council; Bengal Governor To Assume Charge

Calcutta, August 27.—The President of the Legislative Council today announced the prorogation of the Council *sine die*. The Swarajists greeted the announcement with prolonged cheering.

A *communique* explains that the prorogation is the logical consequence of yesterday's proceedings, when the Legislative Council again rejected the Ministers salaries.

Lord Lytton, the Governor of Bengal, will henceforth assume charge of the transferred departments, the Ministers of which have resigned.

The *communique* adds that until the Constitution is restored the Council will only be summoned when it is required to transact Government business.

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Requests for enrollment may be made by mail in cases where the alien is a resident of this consular district temporarily absent therefrom. Such requests should state the number and date of visa and place of issuance.

EDWIN S. CUNNINGHAM.
American Consul-General.
69960

The American Consulate-General will be closed to public business on Monday, September 1, 1924.

EDWIN S. CUNNINGHAM
American Consul-General.
65972 A 31

Municipal Notification

NO. 3279.

SILVER LOAN 1924.

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Under the authority of Resolution V. passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 16, 1924, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the Silver Loan of 1924.

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In the event of any partial redemption of the loan, the numbers of debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 5,000, Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500, and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
J. M. MCKEE,
Assistant Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 18, 1924.
T F 341

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Han Chao Kee (袁樵記啓)

Shanghai Race Club

AUTUMN TRAINING SEASON, 1924.

The training season for the Autumn Race Meeting (3rd, 4th, 5th and 8th November) will commence on Monday, 1st September, 1924, when the Training (inner) Course will be reserved for Members only.

The Loong-tei (East) Entrance to the Public Recreation Ground will be closed and the Race Club's Entrance will be available for pedestrians only during training hours.

By Order of the Stewards,
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25th August, 1924.
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The Chinese Admiralty

Notice No. I.

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ADMIRAL H. K. TU
Commander-in-Chief of the Chinese Government Fleets.

Admiralty House.
Nanking, 27th August, 1924.
69961

Shanghai Amateur Swimming Association

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Weather Reports

Aug. 27.—Two barometric maxima, the one over Lake Baikal, the other in Hokkaido. High readings between Formosa and the Marianas. The northern depression continues eastwards, along the 40th parallel. Cyclonic winds between Chihli, Shandung and Korea. Westerly breezes at the Saddles; monsoon in the Formosa Strait. Hot and damp weather with a few showers in Shanghai. Fine weather in the south. Fog in Kwangtung and Tongking.

Aug. 28.—Cloudy weather with intense humidity and fog about sunrise. The pressure is slowly rising. Unsteady breezes with long intervals of calms.

Aug. 29.—Hot and damp weather, with showers and thunderstorms. Light and variable breezes or local calms all along our coasts. Cyclonic circulation between Korea and Japan. Area of relatively low pressures between the Carolines and the Marianas.

BIRTH

RAPANAKIS—On August 27th, 1924, to Mr. & Mrs. A. Rapanakis, a Daughter.

The Powder-Magazine About To Explode

THE newspapers yesterday told us that the rival armies of Kiangsu and Chekiang are only about eighteen miles apart and that firing may start at any time. Chinese residents within a radius of two or three hundred miles understand the seriousness of the situation and are flocking to Shanghai by railroad, canal-boat and wheelbarrow in order to enjoy the benevolent protection afforded by the foreign Settlements and the foreign gunboats in the harbor.

Here in Shanghai Chinese—citizens of the Republic—from Kiangsu, Chekiang, Kwangtung, Fukien, Anhwei, Chihli and elsewhere are going about their business, meeting together in the tea-houses, dining together in the restaurants, meeting in the guilds and chambers of commerce. These common people from the various parts of China are not angry at each other—in fact there is not one in a hundred who knows what it is all about.

And what is it all about? one may well question!

Kiangsu and Chekiang Provinces are enemies, we are told, but what is back of this enmity? Chekiang Province is independent of the Central Government, another answers. But there is not any explanation in this statement, for what province in the Republic is really loyal to the Central authorities? None of them are remitting funds to Peking and each is following its own course in respect to taxation and dozens of other matters.

The real reason for the present fight is found in the accidental circumstance that Shanghai and the territory immediately surrounding this city are controlled by a general who happens to be "loyal" to Chekiang Province. Shanghai is located in Kiangsu Province and logically should be under the control of the Governor at Nanking instead of the Governor who has his headquarters in Hangchow. The mix-up came about when the old Anfu Party or clique was in control of the Peking Government during the European War. General Lu Yung-hsiang, the present Governor of Chekiang Province, was at that time Defense Commissioner at Shanghai and had control of the arsenal here. When he was transferred to the Governorship of Chekiang, he placed in control here his trusted lieutenant, General Ho Feng-lin. When the Anfu Party was overthrown, General Lu was able to maintain his position in Chekiang Province and General Ho remained in control of the Shanghai district.

In the news columns of *The China Press* yesterday, there appeared translations of public statements or manifestos by the rival militarists, explaining their respective reasons for the present mobilisation of troops. General Chi Shih-yuan charged Chekiang with giving refuge to two prominent "rebel" generals who had been driven out of Fukien Province. General Ho, in his statement, said that these Generals had been given refuge in Chekiang in order to prevent them from causing disturbances in Kiangsi and Anhwei Provinces. General Che states that this act constitutes a breach of the so-called Peace Pact which was drawn up and signed by Chekiang and Kiangsu a few months ago. General Ho, on behalf of General Lu of Chekiang, charges the Nanking General with a hostile mobilisation of troops and hence states that he is forced to defend himself. Thus we have it and business is disrupted, peaceful trade is disturbed, thousands of people are panic-stricken. Native banks are failing. Trains are either stopped or delayed and the foreign Powers are anxiously looking on and wondering what measures should be adopted to protect their nationals in case actual fighting should start and chaos develop in this area.

The real danger in the situation exists in the fact that the spark likely to ignite here may throw the entire country again into turmoil. General Chang Tso-lin at Mukden, who has been strenuously building up his war machine since his defeat by General Wu a few years ago, is apparently ready to make another attempt at Peking. If fighting actually starts here and there is any likelihood of General Wu Pei-fu actively backing up the Nanking General, undoubtedly General Chang will move south. No one knows just what his intentions are, but it is obvious that he may not remain quiet if his friend, the Governor of Chekiang, is in danger. If General Wu Pei-fu is able to eliminate the "independent" [illegible] in Chekiang and at Shanghai it will simplify his conquest of the Southeastern Provinces and then the next step will be to eliminate Chang.

Thus do we have the setting for a general conflagration, and the foolishness of it all from the standpoint of the Chinese people is obvious. It is a pathetic commentary on the high repute and intelligence of Chinese merchants, and bankers and gentry that they continue to permit this horse-play in their land. That they permit this trifling with the heritage of their ancestors!

The situation has been permitted to drift into a most dangerous stage, but there is hope even now that fighting may not start. Chinese merchants in Shanghai who are in touch with the world situation ought to know that another outbreak of civil war in China is the worst possible thing that could happen at this time. If the Chinese merchants here, who are desirous of peace, can solve this present crisis the way may be paved for general peace throughout the land. Foreign well-wishers of China hope most fervently that they may succeed and that their success may go to the extent of eliminating the entire military menace from this district.

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS

By Mathy

NO

No is next to the shortest word in the English language.

It is the concentrated Declaration of Independence of the human soul.

It is the central citadel of character, and can remain impregnable forever.

It is the only path to reformation.

It is the steam-gauge of strength, the barometer of temperament, the electric indicator of moral force.

It is an automatic safety-first device.

It has saved more women than all the knights of chivalry.

It has kept millions of young men from going over the Niagara Falls of drunkenness, profligality, and passion.

It is the updrawn portcullis and barred gate of the castle of self-respect.

It is the dragon that guards beauty's tower.

It is the thick wall of the home, keeping the father from folly, the mother from indiscretion, the boys from ruin, and the girls from shame.

It is the one word you can always say when you can't think of anything else.

It is the one answer that needs no explanation.

The mule is the surest footed and most dependable of all domestic animals. No is the mule-power of the soul.

Say it and mean it.

Say it and look your man in the eye.

Say it and don't hesitate.

A good round No is the most effective of known shells from the human howitzer.

In the great parliament of life the Noes have it.

The value of any Yes you utter is measured by the number of Noes banked behind it.

Live your own life. Make your own resolutions. Mark out your own program. Aim at your own work. Determine your own conduct. And plant all around those an impregnable hedge of Noes, with the jaggedest, sharpest thorns that grow.

The No-man progresses under his own steam. He is not led about and pushed around by officious tugboats.

The woman who can say No carries the very best insurance against the fires, tornadoes, earthquakes, and accidents that threaten womankind.

Be soft and gentle as you please outwardly, but let the center of your soul be a No, as hard as steel.

What You Can See On Mars

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

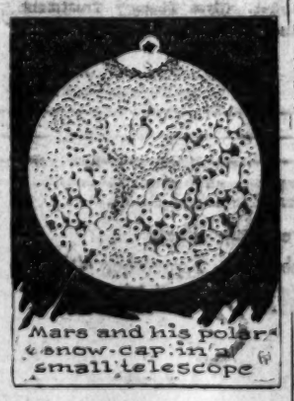
In recent articles I have explained how Mars at certain times gets into "opposition" and why it cannot do so every year, but only once, on the average, in two years and seven weeks; also why during the opposition that occured this year (August 23) it comes unusually close to the earth, thus affording a specially good opportunity for astronomers to study its surface with powerful telescopes, and for speculative minds to be inspired with thrilling schemes for communicating with it by interplanetary radio—the plans for which, unfortunately, have not yet reached the experimental stage.

It remains to say something about the appearances that Mars presents to the telescope and their relation to the question whether or not it is inhabited by intelligent creatures, perhaps more intelligent than we are. Amateur astronomers, with their relatively small telescopes, cannot expect to see the "canals" of Mars, whose existence is the subject of so much dispute and which, at best, are only to be glimpsed with a few of the most powerful and most advantageously posted instruments in the world.

It is sometimes affirmed that the "canals" have been photographed, but this is certainly a very misleading statement. What has been photographed is no more than the framework of shadowy markings that embraces those regions of the planet in which the fine optically almost intangible lines called "canals" are represented in the drawings of Lowell and other observers who have detected and studied them.

In our little drawing, which shows about all that an ordinary telescope, in a fairly good state of the atmosphere, is able to reveal of the surface features of the red planet, the location of the principal "canals" is to be sought in the lighter areas below and on either side of the dusky hour-glass-shaped figure near the center of the disk, which used to be called a "sea," though now it is almost certainly known that no large bodies of water exist on Mars. The lighter portions in the drawing have a reddish hue in the telescope. Some parts of the [illegible] seen in very [illegible] large telescopes are sometimes said to present a greenish tint.

The most significant thing for the average observer is the polar



snow cap. Very likely it IS produced by snow or frost, for it waxes and wanes in concord with the changes of seasons, just as the polar snows of the earth do. What is now seen is the southern pole of Mars, for when the planet is in perhelion, as it is at the present time, its southern hemisphere leans toward the sun, as, interestingly enough, occurs with the southern hemisphere of the earth when it is in perhelion.

It is now Summer in the southern hemisphere of Mars, and the sun has been climbing higher there for months, Mar's seasons being nearly double the earth's in length, because its year is similarly longer.

Those who have been watching the planet during those months have seen the snow cap become smaller and smaller, and it continues to diminish after the Summer solstice of Mars because, again in likeness to things on the earth, the heat accumulates there after the height to the season has passed.

The snowy patch is so bright that it produces an irradiation in the telescopic view, causing an apparent projection, as if it were a brilliant button covering the planet's pole. This effect is conspicuous in photographs. Although Mars's seasons are so much longer than ours, they occur in the same order, and its day is longer than the earth's day by not much more than half

Scientists Seek Cure For Childhood's Fears

The young child has no natural fear of the dark. He comes into the world, indeed, without inherited fears, except the fear which can be aroused by a sudden noise or by a sudden loss of support. These are deductions from experiments, extending over several months and including observation of a hundred or more children, recently conducted by investigators of Teachers College, Columbia University.

The experiments, although undertaken in the spirit of pioneer work rather than with the hope of bringing forth a final solution of any of the major problems involved, have shown much more than is indicated by these two deductions, according to those who did the work. They have shown not merely, for instance, that the very young child is not afraid of a snake, but also that irrational fears are built up or acquired with almost mysterious ease.

Further, the tests have indicated a way in which the problem of fear in the young child may be overcome—and it is a problem which, though it may appear trivial to a parent who does not understand, can develop in later years into a mental attitude that may warp the victim's life.

It was in that belief that such fears are unnecessary, and that their origin should be studied and a method for coping with them worked out, that the experiments were begun last September as a phase of the activities of the Institute of Educational Research, in charge of Dr. Otis W. Caldwell. Dr. John B. Watson, the behaviorist psychologist, directed the tests, in which Dr. Bess Cunningham acted as Executive Secretary, the experimentation being conducted by Mrs. Mary Cover Jones, associate in psychological research.

FEAR EASILY LEARNED

"Breaking down a fear," says Dr. Cunningham, "is much slower work than creating one. The fear of animals is easily put into the child's mind, and in ways it is hard to detect. It arises from insignificant situations. The child does not possess it inherently. As much can be said of the fear of the dark. Where it exists it is the result of some accidental circumstance, or has been implanted by those who have the child in charge."

How slight may be the cause, aside from the telling of bogy-man tales, is indicated by a case which came to the attention of the experimenters. A child of two had always gone peaceably to bed at the prescribed time. It was taken on a visit, and on the first night alone in a strange room cried after the lights had been turned off. It was allowed to cry. The next night, still in the strange house, it fought against being put to bed, and on subsequent nights built up a habit reaction against bedtime, starting a tantrum at the approach of the accustomed hour.

A watch was kept in the room where the child slept, and it was found that whenever an automobile passed in the street below, reflected lights traveled across the wall. At home the child had seen no such thing; it associated the motor's noise not with an automobile but with the strange lights in the room, and from being a docile child built up a habit of rebellion which governed or affected it throughout the latter part of the day.

"We found," says Dr. Cunningham, "that few specific fears were met with under all conditions. It is not possible to say that at such and such an age a child will have this particular fear or that one. We found support for our thesis that most fears are unnecessary and that their existence is often a sign of some lack in the parent. The child it what environment makes it."

The tests were made to determine the effect of many things on the children—darkness, being alone, fire, animals and the furriness of inanimate objects. The children had every chance to show what frightened them, the technique of combating the child's fear being studied at the same time.

A test brought different reactions under different circumstances. A child who was afraid of white rats when alone would not be afraid of them if other children were at hand, or if it feared them in the light would not fear them in the dark. The fears thus disclosed themselves not as abstract and universal conditions but as relative problems.

NOT AFRAID OF SNAKE

Previous experiments of Dr. Watson's had shown no sign of fear of fire or darkness or animals in childern under the age of 2. In the recent tests fear of fire was found to depend on age and much the same thing was discovered in the children's attitude toward a snake. The snake was shown to 15 children. Seven of them, from 14 to 27 months old, betrayed no fear at all; the eight others showed guarded reactions, and only two were afraid. Of these eight the youngest was 26 months old and the rest were older than the seven in the first group, the eldest being more than 6 years. The twenty-six-months-old child was one of the two that showed fear: others of his age or younger tried to pick up the snake to play with or disregarded it.

The only child under 3 who showed fear of the reptile tried to hit it with a spoon on the second day. The attitude of some of the children was affected by social pressure: when there were other children about, they made a braver showing than they might have made if alone. This is one of the important factors used in the efforts to eradicate fear.

The transference of fear from one object to another, or from an intangible condition to a concrete thing, is regarded as one of the most significant mechanisms found by workers in this field of psychology. It is illustrated by a baby whose history is to be found in Dr. Watson's studies of the fear problem. A rabbit was given to the child. At the same instant an iron bar was banged against a piece of metal. This was repeated. The child confused the noise, which he feared, with the rabbit; he made the same response to both. If a layman were to make deductions he would say the child feared the rabbit and by extension came to fear anything that had fur like a rabbit's, whether it was a cat or a coat.

CURING HABITUAL FEAR

This process of association, if powerful for ill, has been found powerful also for cure. A boy baby was under observation for six months. In that time the experimenters succeeded in the first stages of breaking down his fear. He was afraid of any thing resembling fur. One part of the cure was to have animals about him while he ate. A lump of sugar was given him and an animal was brought near at the same time. By and by he came to associate the animal with the sugar and his relish of the sugar would offset his fear of the animal.

His fear was not only a general one; it had specific levels, so that the problem was not merely to overcome his revulsion at fur, but as well to break down his fear of rabbits, his fear of white rats and so on. In the last stages of his period of observation he came to touch fur and even to show his contempt for it; one day, when he thought himself alone, he spit on the bunny. He learned to play freely with a badger rug, head and all, and to laugh at a white rat. After he had been removed from observation however, he suffered a relapse by being frightened when a dog barked at him as he was leaving a hospital.

Through methods such as were used with this child the experimenters sought to make a beginning among children in the study of the fear problem, which is one of the most difficult for psychologists who confine themselves to the adult.

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BOBBIE AND HIS PA

BY WILLIAM F. KIRK

We lerned a pritty big word at skool to-day, the naim of the word we lerned is An-tissy-pashun. It meens hoaping we will git sumthing to-morrow wich we doant known enuff to git oday.

I was telling Pa about it at supper this evening & Pa sed it was the greatest pleshur wich the hewman race has got.

Oh, I doant know, sed Ma. Are you looking forward to a second wife? sed Ma.

Deer me, no sed Pa kind of quick. I shud say not, sed Pa. Not me.

Then why so much red fire about An-tissy-pashun? sed Ma.

We can look forward to grater & higher things than wifes, sed Pa. It is all rite for a Africkan cheef to look forward to a flock of wifes, sed Pa, but I have grater dreems, loffy-tier ambishuns, sed Pa. These dreems are the things I An-tissy-pate, sed Pa.

I used to An-tissy-pate grate things myself, sed Ma, befoar I got married & sed farewell to my dreems of grateness.

What is grater than beeing married to a gent like me? sed Pa.

I can skarsely think of anything moar sub-limer, sed Ma. You wunderful Souperman, you, sed Ma.

Now you are talking, sed Pa. Say that aggenn, wife, sed Pa.

You wunderful Souperman, sed Ma. Ma was laffing wen she sed it.

Why the snicker? sed Pa.

I bet you dident Antissy-pate that snicker, did you? sed Ma.

Are you snearing at me? Are you making sport of the man wich gaiv you his honord naim? sed Pa.

Not I, sed Ma. Not for wurlds wud I snear at a gent wich I won after so many yeers of Wisterful Antissypashun, sed Ma.

That is what I was thinking, sed Pa. I cuddent beleave that you wud snear at me.

What is share for me to Antissy-pate? I sed.

Bobbie, sed Pa, you may not realize it, but you are a grand littel Antissypater rite now. Antissypating is just a form of wanting, & I nevver saw a kid what wanted moar than what you want, Bobbie, sed Pa. You are the orijinal Gimme, sed Pa.

All rite, I sed, I bet you I can malk a sentens with Gimme in it, here is the senteng I sed. Please Gimme a Quarter.

I can anser that in a neet sentens of two (2) words, sed Pa. Nothing Stirring.

So I guess I will haf to Antissypate that Quarter.

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DRESS

By Mary Marshall

The Spanish Mode Is Taking a Definite Hold On the Fashion of of the Hour.

To some people the Spanish mode suggests nothing but an enormous shell comb nearly a foot high, draped with a lace mantilla and worn with ballooning skirts of red and yellow trimmed with fringe or lace. Thus costumed, if you do a Spanish dance, solo, with a pair of castinets in your hands and a red rose stuck in the corner of your mouth, these people are affecting the Spanish mode without being told.

There is much of the more subtle and more distinguished phase of the Spanish mode that is too often overlooked.

It is perhaps because many manufacturers of women's clothes —milliners, dressmakers, accessory makers, etc.—pile it on a little too thick, that the Spanish mode, predicted so often of late, has so seldom made strong appeal to the really smartly dressed woman. Needless to say the woman of taste does not want to wear clothes that make her lok as if she was going to a masquerade disguised as Carmen, or one of the princesses from a Valesquez painting.

The point of departure for the present vogue for the Spanish was, of course, the Grand Prix Ball in Paris earlier in the summer, at which women assembled to show their charms in Second Empire crinolines, lace shawls, mantillas, and tight bodices. This ball had been widely heralded. The subject had been chosen of course with eyes wide open to the fashion tendency of the season.

If you expect that fashion is going to take over much of the Spanish note in dress intact you will surely be disappointed. But if you keep your eyes open you will see that already several details in the oncoming mode smack strongly of Spain. The broad-brimmed, untrimmed Spanish sailor, the smaller bolero sailor, are of the accepted new shapes in millinery. The heavily embroidered shawl of the past few seasons is gradually giving way to the black or white lace shawl or the black chiffon shawl heavily laden with black silk fringe or ostrich. And these are Spanish.

Fringed Chiffon shawl, edged with straight fringe, worn with black velvet Spanish sailor.

WISE AND OTHERWISE

BY MARY MARSHALL

DISHES YOU HEAR ABOUT

PUMPERNICKLE

Quite lately certain food experts have been extolling pumpernickle, the coarse, rye bread eaten by certain Russian and German peasants. One popular lecturer on food says that one reason why the Jews of central Europe were so generally healthy in spite of their poverty and rather unwholesome livings was because they ate garlic and pumpernickle! On good authority we have it that genuine pumpernickle is not so nourishing as most American wheat bread, but its advantage advantage doubtless lies in its coarseness. Certainly it stimulates thorough mastication of the food and doubtless has the advantage that bran and other coarse breads have here.

It is made from coarse unbolted rye. Like other rye bread it is rather acid in flavor but quite delicious—if you like it. Many persons here regard it as a luxury, though many a peasant in Russia would look upon our white bread as vastly preferable. At any rate it is enough admired by certain epicures here to make it profitable to export genuine European pumpernickle to this country, canned in slices! Served in thin sandwiches with soup it is quite a treat. While the genuine imported sort may perhaps be preferable it is possible to buy American pumpernickle at some of the food stores where German and Russian foods are sold.

THE NEW BELTS

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SOUTHERN PORTS

The I.C. s.s. Wosang from Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Friday morning, August 29.

The H. E. A. s.s. Tjikarang which is due to leave Hongkong on Tuesday. August 26 for Shanghai is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Saturday, August 30.

The I. C. s.s. Tingsang from Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sunday morning, August 31.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung from Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Friday morning at 8 o'clock, August 29.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai Saturday morning, August 30.

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow from Tsingtao direct is expected to arrive in Shanghai at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, August 30.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing direct from Tsingtau is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Monday morning, September 1.

The IIC. s.s. Fausang from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 2.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

The H.E.A. s.s. Boeton which left Yokohama on August 15 is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Friday, August 29.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru from Moji arrived in Shanghai on Wednesday, August 27 and will return to Japan ports on Saturday morning, August 30.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru from Nagasaki and Kobe arrived in Shanghai on Thursday, August 28 and will return to Japan ports on Saturday morning, August 30.

EUROPEAN LINES

The G.L.E.A. s.s. Glenogie which left London for the Far East on July 26 is expected to arrive in Shanghai September 8.

The Swedish East-Asiatic s.s. Nanking from Gothenburg left Suez for Shanghai on July 24 and is expected to arrive here September 1.

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Fiume L. which sailed from Trieste on July 20 left Singapore on August 23 is expected to arrive in Shanghai September 4.

The M. M. Andre Lebon from Marseilles sailed for Shanghai and Japan ports on July 31 and is expected to arrive here on September 4. The liner will return to Marseilles on September 25.

The Ben s.s. Benlawers left London for Shanghai on July 18 and is now expected to arrive here about September 11.

The N.D.L. s.s. Trier which left ort Said on August 18 is expected to arrive in Shanghai Septmber 18.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashmir from London is expected to leave Singapore on Saturday at daylight, August 30 at noon today, August 24 enroute for Shanghai.

The H.E.A. s.s. Tjilatjap which left Semarang enroute to Shanghai via ports on August 15 is expected to arrive here on Monday, September 1.

The H.E.A. s.s. Boeroe left Singapore enroute to Shanghai on August 18 and is now expected to arrive here on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dodwell s.s. Wray Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 31.

The Dollar s.s. President Monroe from New York sailed from San Francisco on August 2 for the Orient and arrived in Shanghai Tuesday morning and will sail for New York via Suez on Friday morning, August 29.

The Dollar s.s. President Harrison from New York sailed from San Francisco on August 16 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on September 9.

The Dollar s.s. President Van Buren which left New York Aug. 7 is scheduled to sail from San Francisco enroute to Shanghai from New York on August 30.

The Dollar s.s. President Hayes left New York for the Orient on August 21.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant from Manila and Hongkong is due to arrive in Shanghai about Sept. 2 and will sail for Seattle via Japan ports on the following day, Sept. 3.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison from Seattle is expected to arrive in Shanghai at 10 a.m. Friday, Aug. 29 and will dock at the C. M. Central Wharf. The liner sails for Hongkong and Manila at 10 a.m. Sunday, August 31.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is expected to arrive in port from Manila and Hongkong at noon Saturday, August 30 and dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf. The liner will sail for Vancouver via Japan ports Sunday at 10 a.m. August 31.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Canada is due at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf on Friday, August 29 at 2 p.m. and will leave for Hongkong the following day, at 10 a.m., August 30.

The P. M. s.s. President Wilson from Manila and Hongkong is expected to arrive in Shanghai and dock at the C. M. Eastern wharf at daylight Saturday, August 30. The liner will sail for San Francisco on Sunday morning about 10 o'clock. The incoming tender carrying passengers is expected at the Customs Jetty at 8:30 a.m. Saturday and the outgoing tenders will leave the jetty at 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Saturday while the last tender leaves at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday.

Sailed Form Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Argon	August 12
Empire Arrow	August 1
President Cleveland	July 26
Polyphemus	July 19
President Pierce	Aug. 3
Siberia Maru	July 16
Taiyo Maru	July 28
Tecumseh	July 16
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 11
Yankee Arrow	July 6
President Taft	Aug. 16
Korea Maru	Aug. 25
Java Arrow	Aug. 27

FOR VANCOUVER

Chris Moller	July 25
Empress of Asia	July 6
Empress of Canada	July 22
Empress of Russia	Aug. 3
Empress of Australia	Aug. 17

FOR SEATTLE

Alabama Maru	July 23
Anna E. Morse	July 25
Arabia Maru	July 12
Dewey	July 17
Eldridge	July 29
Horaisan Maru	Aug. 18
President Grant	July 5
Pres. Jackson	Aug. 10
President Madison	July 17
President McKinley	July 29
President Jefferson	Aug. 22
Stoweken	July 5
West Himrod	Aug. 7
West Keats	Aug. 8
West O'Rowa	July 5
West Jessup	Aug. 16
Wheatland Montana	Aug. 27
Manila Maru	Aug. 17
Cross Keys	Aug. 26

FOR NEW YORK

Radnor	Aug. 7
Cyclops	July 8
Dryden	July 4
Eclipse	Aug. 1
Fushimi Maru	July 12
Gaelic Prince	July 10
Havre Maru	July 6
Kendal Castle	July 29
President Adams	July 18
President Garfield	Aug. 1
President Polk	Aug. 15
Stanley	July 8
Taketoyo Maru	Aug. 13
Tatsuno Maru	July 12
Titan	July 26
Bellerophon	Aug. 16
Hanavor	Aug. 24

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Adrastus	Aug. 20
Amazone Maru	August 2
Teiresias	Aug. 6
Anchises	July 11
Carmarthenshire	July 6
Carnarvonshire	July 17
City of Bagdad	Aug. 9
City of Napier	July 7
Colorado	July 15
Devanha	Aug. 5
Genoa Maru	July 5
Hakozaki Maru	July 26
Hakusan Maru	Aug. 10
Karmala	July 8
Kitano Maru	Aug. 22
Malwa	July 22
Mantau	Aug. 19
Phemius	July 4
Pyrrhus	Aug. 13
Telamon	July 16
Ixion	Aug. 16
Glenbeg	Aug. 15
Troilus	Aug. 27
Tsuruga Maru	Aug. 26

FOR HAMBURG

Atlas Maru	July 6
Earnland	July 19
Emil Kirdorf	August 11
Oldekerk	Aug. 20
Rheinland	Aug. 17
Pfalz	July 7
Westerdyk	July 8

FOR COPENHAGEN

Formosa	July 2
Malaya	July 6

FOR BARCELONIA

Isla de Panay	July 9

FOR TRIESTE

Gerania	July 28
Nippon	July 2
Rosandra	July 31

FOR MARSEILLES

Amazone	July 31
Angers	July 3
Angkor	Aug. 14
City of Dunkirk	July 29
Porthos	July 17

FOR INDIA

Aymeric	Aug. 18
Benclench	Aug. 8
Morioka Maru	July 24
Nagato Maru	Aug. 8
Soudan	July 4
Sicilia	Aug. 16
Aki Maru	Aug. 27

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Aug. 30	9 p.m.	P. Wilson	S. Francisco	
Aug. 31	7 a.m.	E. of Asia	Vancouver	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Aug. 30	9 p.m.	Sardinia	London	
Sept. 2	2 p.m.	Kalyan	London	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	3 p.m.	via Chita
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	8 a.m.	Nanning
Antung	Aug. 30	11 p.m.	Wosang
Tsingtau	Aug. 30	9 a.m.	Sinkiang
Tsingtau & Dairen	Aug. 30	9.30 a.m.	Sakaki M.
Chefoo & Tientsin	Aug. 30	3 a.m.	Shuntien
Newchwang	Aug. 30	9 a.m.	Shansi
Chefoo & Tientsin	Sept. 2	10 a.m.	Kingsing
Chefoo and Tientsin	Sept 2	11 p.m.	Tungchow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	8 a.m.	Yatshing
Amoy	Today	8 p.m.	Tjikini
Swatow	Aug. 30	9 a.m.	Liangchow
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 30	7.30 a.m.	E. of Canada
Swatow	Aug. 30	9 a.m.	Kansu
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 30	9 p.m.	Sardinia
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 31	7:30 a.m.	P. Madison
Foochow	Aug. 31	8 p.m.	Boeton
Amoy	Aug. 31	10 a.m.	Yingchow
Swatow	Sept. 1	12 m. n.	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	Sept. 2	2 p.m.	Kalyan
Foochow	Sept 3	8 p.m.	Fukuken M.

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Manila, Australia & New Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Trans
Japan ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Trans
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M
Japan ports	Aug. 30	8 a.m.	Yamashiro M
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via Hongkong	Aug. 30	7:30 a.m.	E. of Canada
Holland Direct	Aug. 31	8 p.m.	Boeton
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Aug. 31	7.30 p.m.	P. Madison
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via Hongkong	Aug. 30	9 p.m.	Sardinia
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via Hongkong	Sept. 2	2 p.m.	Kalyan
Formosa via Keelung	Sept. 3	8 p.m.	Fukuken Mar

Information For Mariners

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29, 1924

about equal after noon and an the evening tides, they are
The morning tides are nigher th midnight.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
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Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	P.M.
10h. 44m.	11h. 4m.

Time of Moonrise, Moon	Moonset, Sun	Sunrise, Sunset. Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
4:15 a.m.	5:52 p.m.	5h. 33m.	6h. 31m.	4h. 48m.	6h. 16m.

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S.S. "GERANIA"*	sails about November 27	
S.S. "ROSANDRA"	sails about December 10	
S.S. "NUMIDIA"*	sails about December 28	
S.S. "VENEZIA"	sails about January 10	1925
S.S. "LACONIA"*	sails about January 27	1925
S.S. "NIPPON"	sails about February 9	1925

HOMEWARD FOR BRINDISI, VENICE AND TRIESTE

S.S. "VENEZIA"	sails about September 1	
S.S. "LACONIA"*	sails about September 28	
S.S. "FIUME L."	sails about October 1	
S.S. "PERSIA"	sails about November 1	
S.S. "DUCHESSA D'AOSTA"	sails about December 2	
S.S. GERANIA"*	sails about December 27	
S.S. "ROSANDRA"	sails about January 1	1925
S.S. NUMIDIA"*	sails about January 27	1925
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Kashmir	Sept. 30	Karmala	Nov. 25	Kalyan	Jan. 20

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S.S. Empress of Asia

Is due at Shanghai at 12 noon Saturday, Aug. 30 and will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf. The ship will sail for Victoria and Vancouver via Japan Ports at 10 a.m., Sunday, Aug. 31. Baggage will be received at the go-down China Merchants' Lower Wharf between the hours of 4 and 7 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 30.

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TAIYO MARU	Oct. 4	Oct. 8	Oct. 10
TENYO MARU	Oct. 18	Oct. 22	Oct. 24
	Leave Yokohama	Arrive Kobe	Arrive Shanghai
TAIYO MARU	Sept. 15	Sept. 17	Sept. 21
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Kamo Maru ..... Sept. 20
*Delagoa Maru ..... Sept. 23
*Mito Maru ..... Sept. 23
Katori Maru ..... Oct. 4

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At No. 8 Young Allen Court (near Chapoo Road & Quinsan Gardens)
Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries

On Friday, 29th August, 1924, at 3.15 p.m.
At Holts Wharf About 3000 kegs Nails and 500 Piculs Galvanised Wire

On Saturday, 30th August, 1924, at 10 a.m.
At No. 60 Scott Road. Excellent Household Furniture, and Sundries,

On Saturday, 30th August, 1924, at 10 a.m.
In Front Salesroom, Household Furniture, Books, & Sundries,

DETAILS OF AUCTIONS AS UNDER:—

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the whole of the

Excellent Household Furniture & Sundries
Comprising:—

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Tingri Dzong, July 5.—The following description of animal life as observed at the great heights at which the members of the Everest expedition have been living has been written by Major R. W. G. Hingston:

"The achievements of successive Everest expeditions have extended our knowledge of man's power to endure the conditions prevalent at extreme heights. We have learned that up to an altitude of 28,000 feet he can exist without suffering from severe exhaustion and can even undergo physical strain. It may, therefore, prove of some general interest to consider the heights to which various animals are normally accustomed to ascend.

"The Burhel is a species of Himalayan wild sheep, usually of shy disposition, but so confiding on the moraines at the foot of Everest that it habitually came within twenty yards of our camp. Herds of these fine animals ascend the mountains to the furthest limits of vegetable growth, frequently reaching 17,000 feet. On the piles of boulders there seems to be little to attract them, yet here and there they find a tuft of grass peeping out from beneath the stones.

HARES AT 17,000 FEET

"A few smaller mammals compete with sheep in the altitudes to which they ascend. There is the rare little pika that hides beneath the boulders, and a hare sometimes scampers over the rocks at 17,000 feet. Beyond this height, so far as I have observed, highly organised warm-blooded mammals are seldom accustomed to ascend.

"Birds in their migrations reach considerable altitudes. Probably some of the smallest species cross the highest ranges of the earth, but there are others which populate the lofty plateaus of the mountains. They are true residents of these inhospitable regions—not, like the migrants, mere travelers through the heights.

"Many marsh birds ascend as high as marshes exist. The bar-headed goose and the ruddy sheldrake collect in flocks on the Tibetan swamps at an altitude of 14,000 feet. I have flushed snipe from an upland pool at a height of 15,000 feet.

"It is the same with the birds of a mountain stream. They, too, send representatives as high as streams exist. The dipper, which inhabits every Himalayan torrent, follows it upstream almost to the junction of the stream and the glacier, perhaps to an altitude of 16,000 feet. The beautiful little redstart ascends even further. Although as a rule it is accustomed to cling closely to the torrents, yet I have seen it as high as 18,000 feet on ice near the foot of Everest.

"Other birds ascend to even greater altitudes, but they are mere casual visitors. Some may ascend to look out for carrion, others to seek refuse from a mountain camp, still others to migrate across the main range. That magnificent bird, the lammergeyer, for example, frequently soars around the flank of a mountain at over 20,000 feet. Choughs have been seen flocking round the summit of a peak at almost 24,000 feet. These same birds followed the climbers in their ascent to the immense height of 27,000 feet. There has hitherto been no record of living creatures at anything approaching such a height as this.

ANIMALS FOLLOW FOOD SUPPLY

"The fact is that animals will ascend the flanks of mountains as far as their accustomed food supply is obtainable. The physical inclemencies of high altitudes will not deter them; they will brave cold, wind and rarefaction of the atmosphere provided that a suitable supply of food may be found. This is the reason why mammals reach the furthest limit of vegetation; this is the reason why marsh birds ascend to the highest marshes; why torrent birds reach the junction of torrents and glacier. Were a camp established on the summit of Everest there is little doubt that it would be regularly visited by choughs.

"The same may be observed among human beings. The Tibetans construct villages up to a height of 15,000 feet, beyond which they are unable to till the soil; but they follow the herds still further up the mountain—even as far as the scantiest pasture can be found.

"Let us look at some of the humbler creatures. There is a stumpy little lizard that lives on the plateaus. It occupies a burrow as a permanent habitation and on warm days comes out upon the soil. There it blends most wonderfully with its surroundings—a matter of no little importance to it, for even at 14,000 feet buzzards and falcons are continually on the watch. I have seen no sign of snakes at such altitudes as these. In all likelihood their ascent is prevented by cold; for snakes have been observed at hot springs existing in other parts of Tibet.

"If we turn up the stones on this lofty plateau we shall see something of insect life. It is interesting to do this early in the year. Under many stones we shall find a cluster of beetles; some weevils in a state of hibernation, their heads bent, their legs curled inward, and their antennae turned back under their chests. In this state they pass the long Winter months, some even at a height of 15,000 feet surviving the bitter cold. We are also likely to meet carabids and ground beetles. These, too, lie motionless, as if asleep, usually half buried in the debris that is accumulated underneath a stone. Even in April they are so torpid that they can scarcely move. They seem as if paralysed by the hard conditions associated with these considerable heights.

ANTS SLUGGARDS AT HIGH ALTITUDES

"Occasionally we may expose a colony of ants. These also display the effect of cold. They are not the active ravagers of the plains and jungles; this is a sluggish, impoverished commune. On sunny day the workers may emerge, but for the most part they lie hidden in their galleries. The enthusiasm of an ant community is lost at an altitude of 15,000 feet.

"Different kinds of wasps ascend the mountains to a greater height than might have been believed. There is a rare little kind to be found at 15,000 feet, which is wont to work in clay. It attaches to a rock a dome-shaped habitation, which it fills with paralysed grubs. There are at least three kinds to be found at 17,000 feet. Their plan is to dig a tunnel in the soil and incarcerate their victims at the bottom of the shaft. Their periods of activity are short and vigorous. They work only on sunny days, when they bustle about with enthusiasm and zeal. Theirs is a life of concentrated energy, for the Summer at these inhospitable altitudes is short and at 17,000 feet the days of sunshine quickly disappear.

"Let us turn to some of the more striking insects. How remarkable it is to see fragile butterflies blown about by the powerful winds! Yet many kinds ascend far up the mountains. On the passes we are certain to meet the Apollo. Though weak in flight and at the mercy of the winds it chooses to live in these inhospitable areas and makes the rough passage across the mountain ranges. Stronger in flight are the swallow-tail and tortoise-shell species, almost identical with those found in England, which here ascend to a height of 17,000 feet, where they haunt the glaciers and mountains.

"Companions of the butterflies, ascending to the same heights, are the dayflying moths. They are active in their movements as they skip over the Mountain. They are delicately colored and mottled gray, so as to blend with the piles of stones.

GRASSHOPPERS AT 18,000 FEE

"It is strange to think that certain kinds of grasshoppers reach the furthest limit of vegetable life. Insects belonging to this group ascend the mountains as high as 18,000 feet. They are minute and are colored like moths, so as to blend with their desolate haunts. Moreover, they are wingless—an advantage in these altitudes, since, being unable to make flights they are less at the mercy of the fierce winds.

"At great heights, on passes and bleak moraines, one may sometimes uproot less attractive creatures that like to hide themselves among rocks or stones. I have found centipedes beneath boulders at 15,000 feet; a tick at 16,000 feet. Leeches love the most dripping jungles, yet in an icy stream at 16,000 feet I have seen them in numbers beneath stones.

"Fish insects' are particularly partial to the tropics, yet in a ruined fort at a height of 14,000 feet they were the sole inhabitants found.

"Life exists in the pools and streams spread out over the plateau of Tibet. It is surprising to observe the numbers of fish, and one wonders how they obtain food. In marshy places we are likely to find water beetles, some ascending for supplies and others crawling over the soft mud. At the edge of pools we see different kinds of shell, especially those of the ram's horn pattern coiled into spiral shape. There, too, we may find 'water boatmen' hovering beneath the surface, or shrimp-like crustaceans skipping about; or at the bottom we may notice the larvae of caddis flies. When we look into water at 15,000 feet it is like gazing into an English pool. In these swamps, which must be frozen most of the year, some of the more fragile forms of life exist. At 15,000 feet I have found mayflies near the edge of a pool and mosquitoes sheltering beneath stones.

"Thus we see that many varied forms of life ascend mountains to considerable heights. Even ice supports animal existence; there is a fauna to be found on the Rongbuk glacier, which flows down from the flanks of Everest. This stream of ice is fissured and broken and covered at the bottom with hillocks of moraine. Here a number of little animals live. A gray hunting spider jumps about on the debris; a carabid battle hides under the stones, and the crevasses of the glacier shelter small moths. Even insect larvae exist in the pools that accumulate on the surface of the ice.

SPIDER EARTH'S HIGHEST INHABITANT

Animal life ascends mountains far beyond plant growth. The highest growing plant observed was the blue vetch at 18,000 feet; yet animals possess permanent habitations as high as 22,000 feet. A minute and inconspicuous black spider hops about on rocky cliffs and hides beneath stones in those, bare places which happen to be swept clear of snow by the wind. I cannot think on what it lives at such a height. In these altitudes there is no other living thing—nothing but rock and ice. This little spider is worthy of note as being the highest permanent inhabitant of the earth.

"We, therefore, find life on the highest mountains far above the permanent snow-line. Farther west on the Pamir plateau I have seen spiders on the snow at 18,000 feet, and a butterfly sweeping across a peak almost 19,000 high.

These are examples of living creatures above the line of permanent snow; but Everest supplied us with greater surprises. Who would have thought that at 21,000 feet a butterfly would visit our high camps? That a moth would ascend to the same altitude? That a humble bee would desert the flowers of its valley home and be found 3,000 feet above the last vegetable growth? Yet such were seen from the high camps on Everest, far above the permanent snow-line.

Is there any portion of the earth's surface devoid of living creatures? The depths of the ocean, the sunscorched desert, hot springs and bitter lakes are alive with peculiar fauna. And here in this most bleak and inhospitable region, far above the last traces of vegetable existence, above the bare rocks and stones of mountains, living creatures spread themselves abroad over the white wilderness of snow and ice."

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Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Moxon and Taylor state in their weekly share report dated Hongkong, August 32:

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The Shanghai market continues quiet with very little doing.

The following are the principal alterations since last week:

Hongkong Banks.—Are strong with buyers at $1,200 with few if any sellers.

Unions.—Have firmed up to a buying rate of $230 without attracting sellers.

Hotels.—Had a rapid rise and a large number of shares have changed hands including one lot of one hundred thousand Old shares at $20 for December.

Hongkong Lands.—Have also firmed up and close strong with with buyers at $116 cash and $118 for October ex dividend.

Humphreys.—Are in some demand and have been done at $32½.

Cements.—Have also had a smart rise during the week and are wanted at $26½ cash and $27¾ for September.

Kowloon Wharves.—After declining during the early part of the week to $211, have again risen to a buying rate of $213 cash and $222 for October.

Hongkong Docks.—Have also been the medium of a large business at rising prices and, as we go to Press, there are buyers at $162 cash and $166 for October.

Shanghai Docks.—Continue firm at quotations.

Hongkong Ropes.—Have been more or less neglected during the week.

Hongkong Electrics.—Are firm with buyers at $40¼.

Hongkong Trams.—After a slight decline, again firmed up and are wanted at $41¾ ex dividend of 75 cents.

Peak Trams.—Continue in good demand with few if any sellers.

China Sugars.—After weakening slightly during the early part of the week, close very firm with buyers at $360 cash and $370 for October.

China Providents.—Are in more demand and have come to business at $15¾ for Old and $5 for New shares.

China Lights.—Have also firmed up and are wanted at $16 for Old and $10 for New shares.

Dairy Farms.—Also had a considerable rise and close firm with buyers at $28¼ and more probably would be paid.

Lane Crawfords.—Have risen to a buying rate of $18 without attracting sellers.

Steamboats.—Had a sensational rise during the last two days and have been done as high as $48 for October, but close slightly easier with sellers at $47.

London Quotations of the 21st inst.—Hongkong Banks £136. 10/- ex dividend. Indos Deferred £13. 5/-, Shells £13. 18/-. All middle price.

Exchange.—The demand selling rate on London is 2/4 7-16 and the T. T. on Shanghai is Tls. 72.3/8.

Rubber Auction

Messrs. J. A. Wattle and Co. have received the following telegram dated 27th inst., from their Singapore Agents:

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